

CENTRE COUNTY IN THE CIVIL WAR.

148th Regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteers.

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Regiment, P. V.
CHAPTER IX.
(To be Continued.)

A great agency, unknown to us, must have been at the bottom of this night's display; for the supply of fireworks, torches, and candles seemed inexhaustible.

Quiet was not restored till the small hours of the morning had well gone by, and the sun was high in the heavens, ere the sleepy denizens of camp had all turned out.

On May 30th, 1865, the last review of the 2nd Corps took place at Bailey's Cross Roads, a place made famous by the numerous reviews by Gen. McClellan, while organizing the Army of the Potomac, from the defeated and demoralized remnants of McDowell's Bull Run Army, and new troops, during the first year of the war.

The Corps was reviewed by Maj. Gen. Meade, commander of the Army, and Maj. Gen. A. A. Humphreys, Commander of the Corps, in the presence of an immense crowd of citizens, half of whom were ladies in carriages, in which they stood during the review.

This was the grandest review the Second Corps ever had. It passed off very satisfactorily; the troops marched sullenly in review, to the timing of drum-corps and brass bands; the Regiments passed the reviewing officers by "company fronts," and then, on command of, "by company, left turn, march!" would swing into column, and pass off the field.

The 148th P. V. had just passed the reviewing officers, and received the same command; no sooner had the word "march," rung through the Regiment, than the companies, swinging on their pivots, in perfect alignment, the right of the companies dashed into column at a furious double quick, which was all right. But, in swinging into column, the entire Regiment, without premonition, or previous arrangement, gave the same loud, fierce yell that had often before been given in battle charges. This was a violation of military decorum; instantly there was a great hubbub among the minor reviewing officers, Gen. Meade smiled, while Gen. Humphreys the Corps Commander, looked puzzled; an "underling" aid shouted: "Order that Regiment under arrest!"

Horses were spurred hither and thither among the "staff;" "What Regiment is that?" came next. Some one in the Regiment yelled with stentorian voice, "The 148th Pennsylvania Volunteers!" Upon this announcement, confusion broke out in the great crowd of spectators; it was at once evident that the 148th P. V. had a host of friends there. Men laughed, shouted and swung their hats, while ladies cheered, and a sea of handkerchiefs fluttered in the air in approval of this lively, yet unmilitary diversion. The multitude in attendance was evidently delighted to hear, for once, the battle shout of a fighting Regiment. The 148th passed off the field, and to camp—and there were no arrests.

On the morning of June 3rd, 1865, reveille sounded at day-break, and the boys turned out promptly. It was at once understood that it was our last reveille in Virginia forever. Now, that the time for leaving the service had actually come, the men, after all, seemed loath to return to civil life with its numerous cares; still, they all refused offers of positions in the regular army and prepared to go home.

The recruits in the 148th were now transferred to the 53rd Regt., P. V., and marched over to the camp of said Regiment. They had counted on going home with the 148th, and as they were marched away, some were in tears over the harrowing disappointments.

At 7 a. m. the 148th left its last camp in Virginia forever, and marched to Washington, D. C., five miles away, by way of the "Long Bridge," to the R. R. station, north of the Capitol, where we waited for transportation, till 3 p. m., when we were put into a freight train, and started for Harrisburg, Pa. We were switched out of the road for all other trains, and reached our destination at 9 a. m., June 4th. The freight train, as usual, had no seats, and were very uncomfortable. For eighteen hours we were packed in this seatless, cheerless, train, on the road from Washington to Harrisburg, a distance of only one hundred and twenty-five miles.

Tired and cramped, we left our train and marched to Camp Curtin, two miles away, and occupied "A" tents that were already up.

What a change had come over Camp Curtin. It was here, in 1862, that the 148th was organized.

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INSURANCE CASE OF MUCH INTEREST

Jury's Verdict of \$1,300 to Mrs. Holdford Set Aside by Judge Hart.

Judge Hart at Williamsport has filed an opinion and order of court in the case of Alice Teress Holdford vs. the New York Life Insurance company. This case was put on trial at a recent term of court, and after hearing the case the jury gave a verdict of \$1,300—the full amount of policy and interest. The court reserved a law point however, and now sustains a motion for a verdict for the defendant insurance company notwithstanding the verdict. The evidence in the case was to the effect that James Raymond Holdford, of Slate Run, on November 15, 1899, made an application for a \$1,000 policy in the New York Life. On November 21 the policy was issued by the company, and sent to the agent in Williamsport. The agent went to Slate Run to deliver the policy on December 19, and was met at the station by Mr. Holdford, the father of the insured, who said that his son had a very bad cold. He tendered the money for the policy, but it was refused and the agent returned to Williamsport without it. After the death of the insured suit was brought for the amount. The defense was that a clause in the application provided that the policy did not become binding until it had been delivered to the insured, while he was in good health and the premium paid.

Transfer of Real Estate.

Sarah J. Leitzel to Erwin Homes, Oct. 21, 1904, 13 acres and 34 perches in Haines twp. \$550.
Wm. P. Humes, et al., to Michael M. Musser, Feb. 18, 1904, lot in State College. \$500.
Phoebe D. Brungart, et al., to Reuben D. Bierly, Oct. 15, 1904, lots Nos. 9 and 12 in West Rebersburg. \$300.
Wm. Walker's ex'r's to Chas. C. Smith, 22 acres, 152 perches in Miles twp. \$3,300.
Franklin G. Houser, et ux., to John Billeit, Oct. 22, 1904, lot in Spring twp. \$450.
Michael Fahy, et ux., to Harry F. Crispin, Oct. 27, 1904, house and 2 lots in Snow Shoar twp. \$700.
E. E. Bariger, et ux., to Geo. W. Winkler, March 26, 1904, 14 acres, 6 perches in Haines twp. \$500.
Ellen Hale Andrews, et bar., to Bellefonte Cemetery Association, Oct. 17, 1904, 3 acres, 154 perches in Bellefonte. \$2,000.

Winter Excursion Rates to Florida and the South.

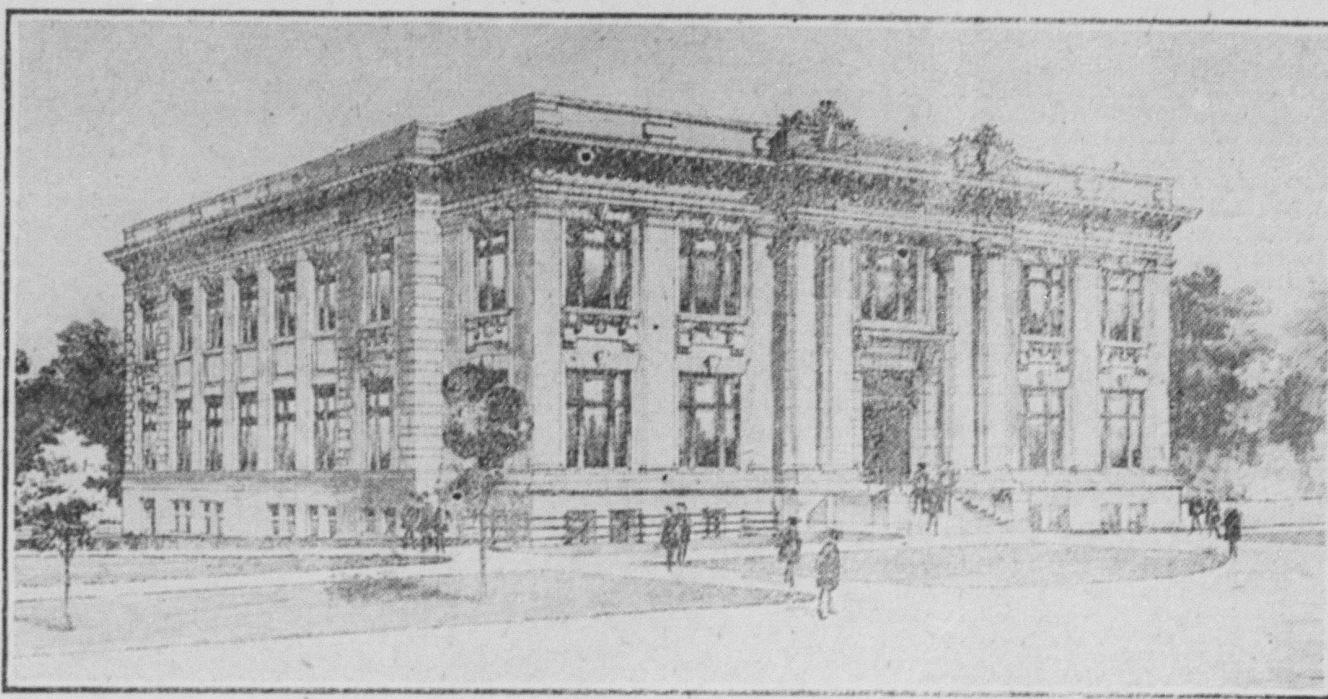
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Barn Burned.

The large barn and all its contents on the farm owned by Robert Smith and tenanted by Wm. B. Smith, near Foxelville, Snyder county, was entirely consumed by fire, one night last week. Five horses, five head of cattle and all of Mr. Smith's farming implements were burned. Origin of fire unknown. No insurance on stock.

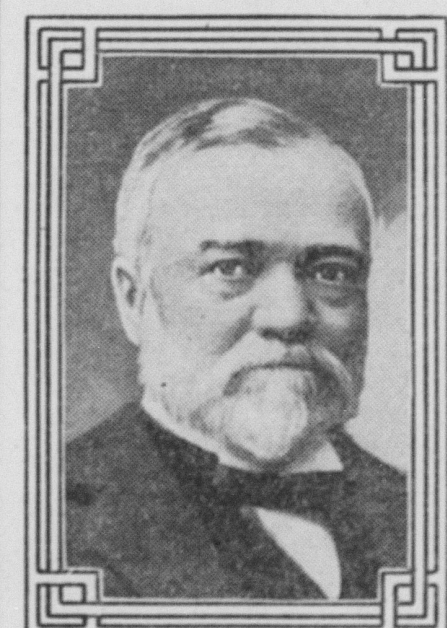
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Then it was a grand camp of thirty-three thousand new men who were being organized into Regiments, and sent forward as fast as they could be equipped. Thousands were daily coming in, and thousands daily going out. The streets to, and through this camp, then, were thoroughfares of splashy, hot, light dust, six inches deep, and the columns of men and hundreds of wagons passing through, would raise clouds of dust, so great and dense that the sun looked like a ball of red fire, and at times be totally obscured. Grass had now overgrown these erstwhile dusty roads, and weeds and grass covered the plain that was formerly covered by more than eight thousand tents. Now five hundred tents stood on the grass covered plain, occupied by a few thousand veteran soldiers, awaiting discharge. The 148th among them, with twenty-five per cent. of the men of 1862 present; many of these even crippled by wounds of ball and shell. Where the seventy-five per cent. of those who camped with us here three years before, were, was well known. Nearly every general battle-field and the locality of many of the skirmish lines of the Army of the Potomac in the fields and forests of the south, from 1862 to the day of the surrender at Appomattox, in 1865, are dotted by the graves of men of the 148th P. V., while others, crippled by life, had been discharged from the service. A glorious record, yet sad in its contemplation.



CARNEGIE LIBRARY—PENN. STATE COLLEGE—DEDICATED NOV. 18.

Two thousand people assembled at Pennsylvania State College Friday morning to witness the Pennsylvania day exercises and the dedication of the new \$150,000 Carnegie Library, and among the crowd were more notable than were ever before gathered at that institution. These including Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Carnegie, Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Schwab, Governor Pennypacker and State officials, Major Gen-



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eral Charles Miller and several score of State Senators and Representatives, among whom were Hon. Solomon R. Dresser, Senator-elect A. E. Irvin, Hon. J. W. Kepler, Hon. J. H. Wetzel, Assemblyman-elect John Noll, Assemblyman-elect Phil. Womelsdorf, and scores of men interested in education from every part of the county. The up-to-date school teachers, headed by Superintendent Granley, also took advantage of the opportunity to see and hear the captains of industry known throughout all civilization.

The day was an ideal one, and the prearranged program was carried out to the letter, except for the absence of the Englishman, the Rt. Hon. John Morley.

Every one was impressed, not alone with the present magnitude of the institution, but the wonderful strides that had been made in the past few years.

The main exercises were held in the new Auditorium presented by Mr. and Mrs. Schwab, the building being crowded. There was an address by State Librarian Thomas L. Montgomery, on "Pennsylvania Libraries; Their Relation to Education," and Deputy Attorney General Fred W. Fleitz made an excellent address on "Pennsylvania," after which the college choir sang "Come, Brothers Raise the Song."

In his address Governor Pennypacker said:

"Every century has its own ideals. No age is like the past. We live in the time of materialism. We like to have things in the concrete. The contemplations of Plato and Socrates have been to a very great extent forgotten and the thought of men is given to the rush of the locomotive across the broad prairies, to the erection of great bridges, to the construction of factories where at one end is put in the naked ore and at the other end comes out completed steel work, wire fences and all the appliances of machinery."

"This characterizes not only what you see about you everywhere, but it has affected and will continue to affect our colleges and schools. Now when a young man goes to a university he has an ambition to be a full man. And in your colleges, while we have not neglected the languages, while we have not neglected old lore, there is an effort everywhere to introduce manual training, to teach the eye and the hand in connection with the mind."

In closing the Governor said that he must confess that he was surprised at the magnitude of State College; that he knew it had been liberally provided for in the past, but he promised it just

as liberal treatment in the future.

The next and last speaker of the morning was Charles M. Schwab. In part Mr. Schwab said:

"Pennsylvania is great by reason of her industrial achievements. The boys of the Pennsylvania State College are the men of the future, upon whom devolves the duty of maintaining Pennsylvania's supremacy. I want to say to you as having had experience, that it is a pleasant occupation. To me there is no greater pleasure than the conceiving of a machine or a project or a process and the building of the same, the carrying out of the same. As our good old friend Captain Jones expressed it, no music is so sweet in the world as the whirr of the mechanical wheels. You will find no greater pleasure, dear young friends, than in this, even though you live to possess as great fortunes as Mr. Carnegie's."

"The best minds in the world, directed in one single channel, will never accomplish very much, but when rubbed up against a great many people, those bright minds take the best thoughts from all and the best results are thus attained."

"I hope that this hall will be the central meeting place of this great student body where an interchange of ideas will result in the ultimate development of all. Even the geniuses will be improved by contact with their less favored brethren."

"There is one thing I wish to impress upon you, young men, and that is that a graduate of a great institution of this kind is in no higher plane socially than in the practical university of the world, the workshop. You boys have the advantage of the boy in the university of the workshop, but your social status is the same and if you will use the same application, the same assiduity you are bound to eclipse him and bound to succeed."

At the close of the morning exercises luncheon was served to 800 guests in the armory.

At 2 o'clock the Carnegie Library was crowded to witness the formal transfer of that institution to the college. Andrew Carnegie made the presentation address. He said:

"It is twenty years since I was here and I feel like Rip Van Winkle, after he had slept twenty years. To come and see what we have seen today has impressed Mrs. Carnegie and myself deeply. This is a great evolution. This farmers' high school, I find, has now nineteen courses, embracing all subjects of human knowledge. Twenty years ago I found 170 students here. Today there are between 700 and 800 and the cry is 'still they come.'"

"The evolution which education has undergone in that time is very striking. The monastic and cathedral schools of the Middle Ages have passed away. Metaphysics and logic, over which the world fought, have been relegated to the rear. Let me pay a tribute to the ancient classics. They were the medium through which our knowledge of literature was obtained."

"Now I want to say how proud I am standing here today to hear that the State College of Pennsylvania is one of the pioneers in the reform of education. Your president tells us that the English course is unusually complete and thorough, and that this may be taken as the general character of the education of this institution, and he says, we teach American literature first."

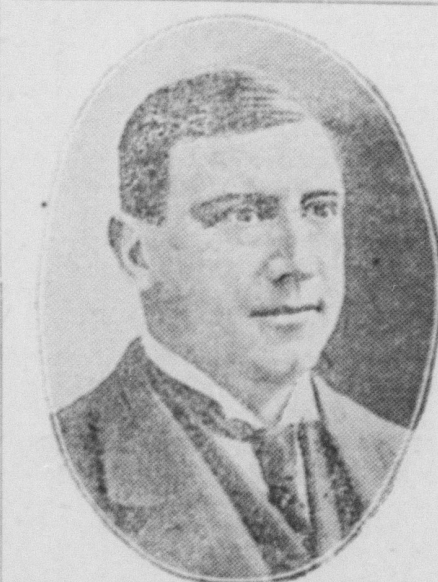
"I want to speak of my feelings on this occasion. Old memories have been stirred. If my foot be not on my native heath this moment, I yet stand upon the first soil where with my parents I found a home in this Republic. If Scotland be my mother land, then I tell you Pennsylvania is my wife land by marriage."

"It was an early marriage; I was only 11, but I tell you, gentlemen, I am not at all concerned about the question of divorce. I never mean to be divorced from Pennsylvania and I never mean to let Pennsylvania di-

vorce herself from me.

"It remains for me to perform the ceremony of handing over this library to you, Governor Beaver, as president of the Board of Trustees, and this I do in the earnest hope, nay the confident belief, that year after year it must be of greater usefulness to the students of this university, with the hope that in communing with the teachers of mankind you may not only become educated men, but that there may be here implanted in you the fruitful harvest of high ideals from which, gentlemen, we expect you to ever press upward to the trust of all wisdom, the best, and what is the test of the best: That one may render precious service to his fellows, to his state and to his country."

"General Beaver, I hand you this key. Take it, sir, from one who loves Pennsylvania, who loves State College, who loves the people of the United States, and who would serve them all well."



CHARLES M. SCHWAB

General Beaver, president of the Board of Trustees, received the key from Mr. Carnegie and in turn presented it to Dr. Atherton to hold in trust for the college.

An appropriately inscribed memorial of thanks was presented Mr. Carnegie by the Board of Trustees, while the student body, through F. J. Saunders, presented Mrs. Carnegie with a handsome loving cup.

The acceptance of the cup by Mrs. Carnegie was done in the most graceful manner. She mounted the stage, and while the great iron master reputed to be worth easily a half billion dollars, held her hand she expressed herself so thoroughly satisfied with the institution that no one will disbelieve that both she and Mr. Carnegie, at that very instant, were deciding in their own minds the nature of a future gift.

Pennsylvania Day, 1904, will be a memorable one in the history of Pennsylvania State College.

Mr. and Mrs. Carnegie, Mr. and Mrs. Schwab, the latter's secretary, maids and servants traveled in the Schwab private car "Loretto," one of the finest and most completely appointed cars in America. The cost of the car, as it stood on the track at State College, is \$125,000—a pretty fortune. Such a traveling palace is, however, none too good nor too safe to transport men and women of such generous spirit and capacity as its occupants.

President Atherton was voted by the audience the most devoted champion of Pennsylvania State College. Dr. Atherton brought into play his almost unbounded tact in dealing with the distinguished patrons of the institution, and fully informed the governor of this great Commonwealth and the legislators, who upon invitation were present, of the needs of the institution and its worthiness of more liberal state support.

The cost of the library building was \$150,000, and it is a magnificent structure.

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS.

HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS.

Thanksgiving Supper—Grange Arcadia, 4:30 to 10 o'clock.

The name of the postoffice at Kipple, Blair county, has been changed to Juniata.

Clover seed wanted. Price according to quality—J. H. & S. E. Weber Centre Hall and Oak Hall.

A large number of young people from the surrounding country and villages were in town Saturday night.

Go to Grange Arcadia for your supper on Thanksgiving Day. The order will appreciate your patronage, and give you a splendid supper.

The Moshannon Manufacturing Company's plant, at Phillipsburg, was destroyed by fire. The loss is \$15,000, partially covered by insurance.

A force of men, last week, began grading the new railroad between Winfield and New Berlin. The line when completed will be nine miles long.

George Earhart, who farms for J. T. Potter west of Centre Hall, husked 1248 bushels of corn from eleven acres. The corn was all of a fine quality.

James Leitzell, of Spring Mills, was in town Thursday. He will go to Portland Mills, in a short time, to remain with his son, Dr. P. W. Leitzell, for the winter.

Jacob Sparr, of Madison, Ohio, came east last week to look after his real estate near Boalsburg. Mr. Sparr inherited the Sparr homestead from the Sparr sisters, who were his cousins.

D. A. Booser purchased the lot across the alley from the widow Love property from Oliver Strunk, who recently purchased it and the dwelling house on Church street from the Love heirs.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sweeney, of near Centre Hall, Saturday returned from Union county where they visited for a week with the latter's sister, Mrs. John Nihart, who lives about five miles out from Millburg.

Will A. Wagner with his friend, Mr. Lauber, came down from Juniata to join the Modocs encamped in Diamond Valley for a ten days' hunt, while Mrs. Wagner, with her daughter Helen, visited relatives on the South side.

Mrs. Ira Stover, of Oak Hall, during last week was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Stover, at Earlstown, while her husband attended teachers institute. Mr. Stover teaches the Branch school, west of Boalsburg.

William Walker, who has been employed by E. L. Auman in his roller flour mill at Millheim for about five years, has accepted a position with a storage house at Wilkesburg. He will move his family in the near future.

"Buffalo Valley Telephone Company" is the name of a local telephone company that has commenced to build its lines in Union county. The lines will extend through every section of the county now covered by the U. T. and T. Company. John Ruhl is superintending the construction of the lines.

J. B. Wagner, the efficient and accommodating operator at the Penna Station, at Millburg, with his wife and children, departed Tuesday on a visit among relatives and friends in Linden Hall and other points in Centre county, where he formerly resided. He expects to spend part of his vacation hunting, remarks the Millburg Telegraph.

The December issue of Everybody's Magazine will certainly attract attention, not only because of the sensational interest of its instalment of Thomas W. Lawson's "Frenzied Finance," but through the distinction and excellence of its general contents and the beauty of its illustrations. Some of the best fiction writers before the public are represented within its covers.

Daniel Krader, of Coburn, was lucky, in shooting a two-pronged buck which weighed 115 pounds when dressed. Mr. Krader, in company with a number of other hunters, had started early in the morning enroute to Price's camp, in the Seven mountains, and had not gone far until he landed the fatal shot, says the Journal. It is reported that the party saw three deer at the same place.

Any man can take a newspaper. It is the cheapest thing he can buy. Every time the hen cackles and lays an egg, his paper is paid for that week. It comes to you every week, rain or shine, calm or storm. No matter what happens it opens the door of the great world and puts you face to face with its own people and its great events. It shortens the long winter nights. It helps to brighten your homes during the hot, dull season. It is your advisor, gossip and friend. No man is just to his children who does not give them the local paper. No man is good to himself who does not take his home paper.

12 LOST IN TENEMENT FIRE

Tragedy in the Williamsburg District, Brooklyn.

TWO WHOLE FAMILIES WIPED OUT.

Smothered Before They Could Reach the Fire Escape in the Rear of the Building—The Blaze Started in the Cellar of a Grocery Store at an Early Hour of the Morning—Firemen's Work Hampered.

New York (Special).—Smothered before they could reach the rear fire escape in a burning tenement building at 186 Troutman street, in the Williamsburg district of Brooklyn, 12 persons met death shortly before 2 o'clock A. M.

Two entire families, those of Mariano Triolo and Charles Polignio, are wiped out, the last living member of each being now in a hospital, with no hope of their recovery. They are Charles Polignio, 33 years old, and Tony Triolo, 13 years old, both of whom are terribly burned. Although in the opinion of the coroner, all the dead were suffocated, the bodies were badly burned before they could be taken from the ruins by the firemen.

The burned tenement-house is in the center of a row of three-story tenements extending the length of the block, and was occupied by Italians.

The fire is supposed to have started in the cellar of the grocery store of Antonio Giambalvo, on the ground floor. The cellar was stored with inflammable material, and the flames spread with lightning-like rapidity. All the occupants were asleep at the time and there was considerable delay in sending in the first alarm. The Giambalvo family lived in the rear of the store, and succeeded in getting out of the building, but before the occupants on the two other floors were roused their escape had been cut off.

Before the firemen arrived the fire had communicated to the adjoining tenement, but here the occupants had sufficient warning, and all escaped. The work of the firemen was greatly hampered for a time by the crowd of frightened Italians who filled the streets. The tenants in nearly all the neighboring buildings dragged their household goods out of the buildings, and with them blocked the way of the fire apparatus.

All the bodies were found in the rear room of the third floor, and it was evident that all had been suffocated in their effort to reach the fire-escape at the back of the building. The two who were rescued were found in the lower hallway soon after the firemen reached the scene. Working their way through the building the rescuers discovered the heap of dead on the third floor, and within a short time succeeded in taking out nine bodies, but the last was not found until after 8 o'clock.

ROBBERY OF A CIRCUS CONCERN.

Forepaugh & Sells Brothers Pay Wagon Relieved of \$30,000.

Norfolk, Va. (Special).—The pay-wagon of Forepaugh & Sells Brothers Circus was robbed of \$30,000 Saturday at Tarboro, N. C. Every effort is being made by the circus people and the limited police authorities of the town to apprehend the robbers and several arrests have been made but no trace of the money has yet been found.

The circus played in Greenville Friday, and arrived in Tarboro Saturday morning in three sections over the Atlantic Coast Line. The pay-wagon had been broken into and robbed during transit or shortly after 5 o'clock in the morning, and efforts were at once made to capture the thieves.

Every man connected with the show was searched and put under surveillance. Several were locked up on suspicion, but some of them have been released.

Police Chief Walter Johnson, of Tarboro, in a conversation over the telephone, said: "We have no clue to the robbers, but suspect people connected with this show, who were familiar with the manner the cash was handled and who had completed their plans before under taking to get the money."

WOMAN DEFIED RAILROAD.

How Mrs. Mary Ferris Made War on the Pennsylvania.

Pittsburg (Special).—Mrs. Mary Ferris, worth \$100,000 in her own name, a relative of the man who built the world-famed Ferris wheel, stood off the surveying corps of the Pennsylvania Railroad for 36 hours, using a club, a revolver and the family dog. The railroad people had sought to throw a foot bridge across the Allegheny River at this point, and Mrs. Ferris, who is 65 years old, found they were encroaching about five feet on her ground. She gathered the dog, the revolver, the club and a chair, and went to the river bank, threatening to shoot anyone who trespassed.

The family attorney sent her word to hold fast, that she had the right end of it. The Pennsylvania Railroad people soon abandoned the project. She remained on guard for 36 hours and then retired.

Whitcappers Indicted.

Jackson, Miss. (Special).—Twelve white men, accused of being whitcappers and interfering with home-owners on United States lands, were brought here by a United States deputy marshal under indictments found by the federal grand jury. The men were placed under \$1,000 bond each for their appearance at the next term of court. The grand jury returned 18 indictments for alleged unlawful interference with United States home-owners.

NEWS IN SHORT ORDER.

The Latest Happenings Condensed for Rapid Reading.

Domestic.

Secretary of War Taft and party have reached New Orleans. They were received by a committee of prominent citizens, members of the governor's staff, and a military detail of regulars and members of the state guard.

Andrew Meaders, Joshua Cummins, Bee and Edward Hollsomback are under arrest at Williamsburg, Ky., charged with the murder of George Curd and Emma Durham near Cumberland Falls.

The Liberty Bell was brought back to Philadelphia from St. Louis and escorted to Independence Hall by an imposing military procession.

William Bate, a chauffeur, was found shot dead in an automobile on a lonely road near Chicago. He is believed to have been killed by robbers.

Reuben Loree, aged 55, and his son, Fred Loree, aged 30 years, were suffocated to death in the village lockup in Columbiaville, Mich.

George Mack, chauffeur for Anna Heid, was arrested in New York on the charge of running down aged Jacob Clemons.

Three election officers in Denver, Col., were convicted of frauds at the recent elections. They were fined and sent to jail.

Twelve whitcappers were indicted in Jackson, Miss., on the charge of interfering with home-owners.

The Central Vermont Railway's freight steamer Mohawk was burned off Hortons Point, L. I. The Mohawk's crew was taken off by the Fall River Line steamship Boston.

Henry Meldrum, formerly United States surveyor, was convicted of forgery, being the first man to be convicted in the so-called land fraud cases.

A premature blast in the excavation for the Pennsylvania Railroad Tunnel in New York did \$2,000 damage to neighboring buildings.

Announcement was made in Chicago of the completion of the fund of \$600,000 for the erection of the McKinley monument.

After the death of Dr. T. C. Conklin, a physician of Farmington, Ill., the discovery was made that he had two wives.

William P. Hayde, for many years county license inspector in Kansas City, Mo., shot and killed himself while in bed.

President Francis and other officials of the St. Louis Exposition were decorated with Legion of Honor insignia.

John and James Black, twin brothers, and John Murphy were arrested in Indian Territory on the charge of being the men who held up the Rock Island train at Fort Logan, N. M.

William Pollworth, 20 years old, shot and probably fatally wounded Conrad Boxman at Bartlett, Ill., and then barricaded himself in his mother's home and defied citizens and police, but finally surrendered.

John G. Heckscher, secretary of the National Horse Show Association, was run down and trampled upon by a pair of horses in the ring at the New York Horse Show. His injuries may result in concussion of the brain.

All the shipbuilding cases brought in the United States Court in New York against Schwab, Morgan, Gates and others were discontinued with the consent of the complainants.

The Hotel Olympia, the largest frame hotel building in Olympia, Wash., has been burned to the ground. The loss is \$160,000, with \$16,000 insurance. All the guests escaped safely.

One man is dead and three others are seriously injured as a result of a fire which destroyed the tar plant of the Denver Gas and Electric Company, in Denver, Col.

In a head-on collision at Chattanooga, Tenn., on the rapid transit electric street car line, due to a heavy fog, five persons were seriously injured.

W. S. Lang, superintendent of the coal mines at Blocton, Ala., died from the effects of a bullet shot from ambush.

Three hundred cottages on the Urbans Chautauqua camp grounds, near Springfield, O., were destroyed by fire.

Four men, comprising the entire working force, were asphyxiated at a gas plant at Dover, N. J.

Meridian Street Methodist Church, in Indianapolis, Ind., was destroyed by fire. Loss \$75,000.

Former Gov. Hugh Smith Thompson, of South Carolina, is critically ill at his home, in New York, and death is a matter of only a few hours.

Foreign.

The Irish Nationalist party is reported to be on the verge of a serious split within its ranks. Dillon and Sexton, with their personal followers, are likely to secede from John Redmond's leadership.

A notable event in French and American literary and educational circles was the opening of the course of lectures at the Sorbonne in Paris by Prof. Barrett Wendell, of Harvard.

A movement has been started to have the United States acquire the collection of private papers of Christopher Columbus, now in possession of the Duke of Alba, in Paris.

A battalion of infantry stationed at Bahla, Brazil, mutinied and the commanding officer was shot dead by the ringleader of the mutineers.

The Italian government has instructed its ambassador at Washington to sign an arbitration treaty with the United States.

The Chinese Minister at Paris advocates the applying of Secretary Hay's open-door policy to Manchuria.

The movement to close the stores and suspend building operations on Sundays in France is assuming practical shape.

Emperor William has directed the troops at Lippe to take the oath of allegiance to Count Leopold, son of the late regent, Count Ernst, pending a settlement of the succession by an arbitration court, which the Imperial Chancellor is authorized by the Federal Council to form.

Ex-Judge Parker, recent Democratic candidate for president, has opened a law office in New York city.

FIGHTING NEAR SHAKHE

Opposing Armies Feeling Each Other's Positions.

JAPANESE USING A NEW MISSILE.

When It Bursts in the Trenches at Port Arthur the Gas From It Overcomes the Russian Soldiers—General Nogi Reports That Operations Against the Forts Are Proceeding as Prearranged.

Tokio advices from the Japanese headquarters in Manchuria say that the activity along the Shakhe River appears to be the preliminaries to another big battle. Feints by detachments from both armies, especially the Russians, indicate that both are feeling their way and gauging the strength of each other. Field Marshal Oyama reports that the Russians have burned several villages along the right bank of the Hun River.

General Nogi reports that the Japanese army's operations against all the Port Arthur forts are proceeding as prearranged. A shell from a Japanese naval gun exploded another Russian magazine on Saturday. Chinese report that 10,000 Japanese reinforcements for the besieging army have arrived at Dalny, and that another attack on Etse Mountain has been planned.

The Japanese are reported to be using a peculiar missile which, when thrown into the Russian trenches before Port Arthur, emits a gas so foul as to overcome the soldiers.

General Balashoff, head of the Red Cross Society at Port Arthur, charged the Japanese with violating the rules of civilized warfare by firing upon hospital ships in the harbor. He says the Japanese use balloons to direct their fire, and asserts that they deliberately drive the wounded Russians from the hospital ships for the purpose of sinking the vessels.

Marshall Oyama Reports Operations. Tokio (By Cable).—Increasing activity along the Shakhe River seems to indicate the imminence of another great battle.

The Russian feints, evidently intended to draw a Japanese attack, are uniformly repulsed.

Army headquarters received the following report from Field Marshal Oyama's report, dated November 18: "At dawn a detachment of the enemy made an attack near Hsinglung tun. They were repulsed by us."

"The enemy in the vicinity of Shakh village have indirectly bombarded our positions with mortars and field pieces. They have effected no damage."

"A body of the enemy's infantry was discovered at Hsiangya and Hsiangyantu. We shelled them and they fled in confusion to a neighboring village."

"The enemy have burnt Huangla-shetzun and villages to the southeast on the right bank of the river Hun."

It is reported that the Japanese after successful mining, occupied a counterscarp on Sungshu Mountain last Friday.

LARGEST ENGINE IN THE WORLD.

Will Be Placed on the Connellsville Division of the B. & O.

Connellsville, Pa. (Special).—The largest locomotive in the world is to be placed on the Connellsville Division of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad. The Mallet type of engine, built expressly for the Baltimore and Ohio exhibits at the World's Fair, will be brought to the local division as soon as the Exposition closes and be used in pushing heavy freight trains up the Sand Patch Hill, over the crest of the Allegheny Mountains. When in working order it weighs 223,500 pounds, and the weight of the tender filled with coal and water is 143,000 pounds.

Arrangements had been made to have Christian Smith, the man who ran the first locomotive over the Connellsville Division, take out the engine on its first trip, but Smith died last week at his home, New Cumberland, aged 93.

George Gould Shot Man.

Raleigh, N. C. (Special).—While George Gould was shooting birds near High Point, this State, he accidentally shot Edward Burns, an attendant. Several shot entered Burns' eye. A specialist of Greensboro was called in, and gave it as his opinion that there was small chance of saving the eye. Mr. Gould at once sent Burns to New York, where eminent oculists will be told to spare nothing that science and skill can effect to save Burns' sight.

Panama Coup Rumored.

Panama (By Cable).—Senior Guardia went to the troops' barracks to be recognized as secretary of war. As recognition has existed between his predecessor, Senior Arias, and Gen. Huertas, commander-in-chief of the Panamanian forces, the event gave rise to the wild rumor that a coup d'etat had been planned by the military element.

President Amador, however, denied that there was any foundation for the rumor. Everything is quiet here.

Uncle Sam's Pensioners in Denmark.

Copenhagen (By Cable).—In consequence of a personal appeal of the American Minister, Mr. Swenson, the Minister of Justice has issued instructions that no notarial fees shall in future be charged by Danish officials for witnessing the vouchers of Danes receiving pensions from the United States. This is intended to relieve the pensioners of the payment of the fees, which pensioners within the reach of American officials escape.

HUERTAS HAS RESIGNED.

Panama's War Minister Quits to Prove His Love—Gets Pension.

Panama (By Cable).—General Huertas, the War Minister, resigned and President Amador by a decree accepted his resignation, leaving Huertas the rank of general, unattached, but with a salary, which is equivalent to a pension.

The army will not be disbanded just now. General Guardia, Secretary of the War Office and a veteran, has been appointed to the supreme command of the troops. Everything is quiet now. The censorship on telegraphic messages has just been suspended.

General Huertas in the letter tendering his resignation protests against the charges brought against him, saying that he and the troops have been loyal, but that under the circumstances (referring to American intervention), and though they would dearly like to fight, in order to prevent bloodshed and to prove once more his love for Panama he resigns his office.

The Isthmians deplore the events because General Huertas' modesty and reputation for not being ambitious had made him quite popular.

Commission Not Alarmed.

Washington, D. C. (Special).—No alarm is felt at the office of the Panama Canal Commission on account of the recent disturbances on the Isthmus followed by the landing of marines. The members of the commission have been advised fully concerning the trouble and received a telegram from General Davis, commander of the canal zone, saying that everything is now quiet.

Announcement was made at the Navy Department that the battalion of marines on duty on the Isthmus will be relieved in the near future by another battalion to be organized at Philadelphia. The new battalion, which is expected to sail from League Island in a few weeks, probably will be commanded by Lieut.-Col. T. N. Wood, of the Marine Corps.

AN UNUSUAL OPERATION.

Silver Tube Cut From the Breast of Harry Elwell.

Louisville, Ky. (Special).—After having been imbedded in Harry Elwell's chest for four years, a silver tube four inches long and one-fourth of an inch in diameter, has been removed by an operation. Elwell, who is 36 years of age, suffered with an abscess of the throat about three years ago. An incision was made and a silver tube was inserted to drain pus from the abscess. The tube slipped into the chest and the attending physicians closed the wound, sewing it inside.

For a time Elwell appeared in good health, but his old trouble recurred. He traveled over various parts of the country seeking relief, submitting finally to the operation just performed here.

Rob Miniature Road.

St. Louis, Mo. (Special).—It has been made known by the World's Fair police that two masked men have robbed a train on the miniature railroad at the World's Fair. After securing money and valuables amounting to \$100, the robbers escaped. The train, carrying the engineer and three passengers, one of them a woman crossing its last trip and was derailed by a masked plot of ground when two deserted men, with drawn revolvers, forced the engineer to stop. The woman passenger was robbed of considerable money.

Burned Austrian Flag.

Rome (By Cable).—Anti-Austrian demonstrations, having their origin in the recent riotous demonstrations at Innsbruck over the institution of an Italian faculty in the university there are of frequent occurrence in Italy. The feeling has been heightened by a conflict between Italians and Austrians at Trent, in the Tyrol. At Bari, about 70 miles northwest of Brindisi, a mob burned the Austrian flag, crying: "Down with Austria."

NATIONAL CAPITAL AFFAIRS.

President Roosevelt gave a dinner at the White House in honor of the special commissioners sent by Emperor William to attend the unveiling of the Frederick the Great monument. Prince Fushimi left Washington for St. Louis. The grand master of his household gave out a statement expressing the Prince's grateful appreciation of the courtesies shown him.

Luther Conant, Jr., of New York, has been appointed a special examiner in the Bureau of Corporations, Department of Commerce and Labor.

The government of the Netherlands has accepted the suggestion that the peace conference be reconvened at The Hague.

Prince Fushimi placed a wreath on the tomb of Washington at Mount Vernon and planted a Japanese maple.

The President has promulgated regulations for the appointment of unskilled laborers in the civil service.

Frank J. Hecker has resigned as a member of the Panama Canal Commission.

Austro-Hungarian government is willing to participate in the second Hague Peace Conference called by President Roosevelt.

President Roosevelt is being offered special escorts of honor to attend him on his inauguration, next spring.

President Roosevelt has removed Frank H. Richards, United States marshal for the Nome district.

Albert Relyea, a chief of division in the office of the Treasurer, committed suicide.

The civil service regulations have been extended to all the employees of the Canal Commission.

The Comptroller of the Currency has issued a call for the condition of national banks.

The Supreme Court of the United States adjourned for two weeks to permit the preparation of decisions.

BIG BLAZE AT FAIR

The Missouri State Building is Destroyed.

GEO. GARBENBACH WAS KILLED.

The Fire Furnished a Spectacular Illumination and Attracted Visitors From All Parts of the Grounds—Sparks Were Carried to the Government Buildings—Bucket Brigades Formed to Save Property.

St. Louis (Special).—The Missouri State Building at the World's Fair was destroyed by fire, resulting from the explosion of a hot-water heater in the basement. Instantly the flames shot up through the rotunda and the north wing and cupola were a solid mass of flames within 10 minutes after the explosion. The loss cannot be estimated accurately owing to the temporary construction material, which has no salvage value. The principal loss is in the contents of the building. The building cost \$145,000 and in it were \$75,000 worth of furnishings, the most valuable of which were portraits of all former Missouri governors and supreme justices. These cannot be replaced.

The fire was the most spectacular that has occurred in St. Louis in years. Thousands of persons hurried from all portions of the grounds, attracted by the sheet of flame that erupted from the top of the cupola, making a far greater brilliancy than the illumination of all the buildings. A wind was blowing from the south and the flames shot down the northern side of the cupola and met a sheet of flame which enveloped the northern wing. Instantly the building was aflame from top to bottom in the northern half. Sparks were carried over the United States government building and as far northwest as the Liberal Arts Palace. Bucket brigades were hurried to the roofs of these buildings to prevent ignition.

Meantime from all quarters of the grounds the fire departments had responded and were augmented by apparatus from the city department. Salvage corps were formed by both Jefferson Guards and World's Fair visitors, and as much property as could be secured within a few moments was carried into the Louisiana State Pavilion adjacent.

Eight streams of water poured into the burning building with apparently little effect, the fire steadily eating its way until only a portion of the south wing, was left standing.

Mrs. Belle Hall Small, of Sedalia, Mo., one of the state hostesses, rushed into her apartments in the building to secure some valuables. A fireman followed her into the smoke and found her lying on the floor, overcome. Placing a wet handkerchief over her face he carried her into the open air, where she was revived.

While responding to the alarm of fire Capt. Edward O'Neill, of World's Fair Truck No. 4, was seriously hurt; George Garbenbach was killed, and Jeremiah Fagin, of the same company was probably fatally injured. It was necessary for the truck to pass through the burning gulch, and, owing to the darkness, the horses left the road. They separated when approaching a large tree, the pole striking the obstruction with terrific force, upsetting the truck and hurling the crew in every direction.

GEISHA GIRLS TO RETURN.

Department of Commerce Orders Their Deportation.

Washington, D. C. (Special).—On the report of Immigration Inspector Dunn, at St. Louis, the Department of Commerce and Labor ordered the deportation of 14 Geisha girls and six Chinese, who have been employed in a concession at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition. The case has been pending for several weeks and a hard fight was made by the representatives of the Geisha girls to induce the government authorities to permit them to remain in this country. It is said that on the statement of facts set out in Inspector Dunn's report the authorities could do nothing less than order the deportation of the women. It is understood that they will be deported immediately.

Banished From Venezuela.

Washington, D. C. (Special).—The State Department has been informed that Mr. A. F. Jaurett, the American newspaper man who was ordered to leave Venezuela by President Castro because he was opposed to the government policies, sailed for Porto Rico. The State Department is awaiting a detailed report from the American charge at Caracas of the facts connected with the expulsion of Mr. Jaurett, who is said to be an American citizen hailing from Chicago.

Ambushed and Slain.

Manila (By Cable).—The news has been received here that nine scouts of the Thirty-eighth Company and one American attached to the Hospital Corps have been killed in an ambush on the east coast of Samar.

Two Jobs for Judge Parker.

New York (Special).—Former Judge Alton B. Parker was appointed a member of two commissions to acquire dock and wharfage rights for the city on the East River. The appointment was made by Justice O'Gorman, in the Supreme Court.

Held Robber's Head Under Water.

Lacrosse, Wis. (Special).—George Tuckek, a young man of good reputation, has given himself up to the police, saying that he had killed a stranger by holding the man's head under water. The police have found the body but have not yet identified it. Tuckek claims the stranger attempted to rob him, but that he threw the highwayman down an embankment twice and then to save his own life held the man's head under water until death ended the struggle.

ADMIT FIRING ON THEIR CRUISER.

Russian Officers Did Not Even See the Vessels of Their Cruiser Division.

St. Petersburg (Special).—A difference has developed between Great Britain and Russia over the language of the article in the North Sea convention relative to the question of responsibility. At the Foreign Office it is said that Russia does not desire to in any way recede from the basis of the agreement, but she proposes a modification of the language submitted in the English text. The admiralty, it is understood, contended all along that the international commission should confine its inquiry to the question whether torpedo boats were off the Dogger Bank and whether, in any event, the Russian ships were justified in firing.

Vice Admiral Rojestvensky's detailed report shows that some shots from the battleships hit the Russian protected cruiser Aurora, one of the shells entering the wardroom and wounding a priest, who afterwards died at Tanager from the injuries he sustained.

The Russian admiralty contends that this is additional proof of the good faith of the vessels which fired on what they believed to be torpedo boats, not having seen either the fishing vessels or their own ships of the cruiser division. Lieutenant Ott, one of the Russian witnesses, will swear positively that he saw flames rising out of four funnels of a low-lying ship.

Lieutenant Ellis, another Russian witness, who was in a turret of the battleship Alexander III., sighted a gun, but did not fire. He declares he is positive he saw a torpedo-boat destroyer. Captain Clado, also one of the witnesses, insists that he saw two torpedo boats, and three depositions of the officers of the Russian transport Kamchatka say they saw four boats resembling torpedo boats.

A private letter from an officer of the Aurora expresses the opinion that the whole mistake was due to the rockets fired by the fishing fleet.

BRAZIL'S REVOLUTION.

The Movement Reported Crushed—Revolt in Military School.

Rio Janeiro (By Cable).—The revolutionary movement has been crushed and order is completely restored. Senator Lauro Sodre and Deputy Barbosa Lima, leaders of the movement have fled. Other leaders have been arrested. Many persons have been killed or wounded.

The students of the military school revolted and deposed the commandant, General Costallent. This was followed by secret meetings held at the Military Club, at which Generals Olympio, Silveira and Travassos were present. General Travassos was appointed to succeed General Costallent.

The whole school, under the command of General Travassos, marched upon the town, but were met by a detachment of soldiers and military police. A serious encounter followed, during which General Travassos was wounded and his horse shot under him. His adjutant was killed. The cadets then fell back and occupied the hills in the neighborhood of the school building. At 2 A. M. the soldiers and police, supported by the war vessels, attacked the cadets' position, and the cadets, being without a leader, surrendered. They were all placed in prison.

MARINES LAND AT PANAMA.

Tac Revolutionary Movement Was More Serious Than at First Supposed.

Panama (By Cable).—The treaty between the United States and Panama has prevented one more revolution on the isthmus. The rumored coup d'etat by the military elements, it seems, was more serious than it was at first thought to be. Minister Barrett, after consultation with the Panamanian government and Gen. Davis, commander of the canal zone, decided to ask Admiral Goodrich to leave one of the warships of the United States Pacific squadron here to prevent any possible disturbance. Marines from Empire Camp arrived here.

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Ran His Auto Over Bank.

Cincinnati (Special).—Douglas Neare, a well-known insurance man, was killed near Coney Island, east of this city, by going over an embankment in his automobile. He was running at a very high speed. Miss Dolores Malowe, who was riding beside Neare, was so seriously injured that she will die.

Bomb Outrage in Barcelona.

Barcelona (By Cable).—A bomb was exploded at the mayor's office in the Calle Fernando here. The building was not much damaged, but nine persons were seriously injured, and several others were slightly hurt. There is an unconfirmed rumor that two of the wounded have died. The Calle Fernando is much frequented as a promenade by the upper classes.

Awaiting Baltic Squadron.

London (By Cable).—The Daily Mail's St. Petersburg correspondent says that Lieutenant-General Stoessel's report expresses a firm conviction that he will be able to hold out at Port Arthur until the Baltic squadron arrives in March, on the condition that he is supplied with munitions and stores.

The Government.

The Government, the correspondent adds, has instructed its agents abroad to supply Lieutenant-General Stoessel's requirements at any cost.

THANKSGIVING

GOOD 1904 CHEER

LE. GOOD. DIGESTION. WAIT ON APPETITE. AND HEALTH. ON BOTH.



Buying the Thanksgiving Turkey.

A Picture of Puritan Days. Drawn by Lynn B. Hunt.



THANKSGIVING STORY OF YE OLDEN TIMES IN THE LAND WHERE THE PILGRIMS DWELT

By Flossie Featherbrain

LONG, long ago, there was the Rock. It lay in the shallow Mud Flats of the Bay, looking out across the ocean and waited for the coming. When at last it came The Rock remained cold and unsmiling. It knew its Own Worth. This was in December, 1620.

Then the Pilgrims landed and Took the Rock and called it Theirs. They did not build a fence Around it the First Season, for they had Something Else to Do beside Knocking off Pieces of it to keep in their Writing desks for paper weights and Curios.

There were One Hundred One Pilgrims and the baby, Perignation White, who came on board so late that he didn't have to Pay any Passage Money.

"Massachusetts Bay is Not Virginian," said Myles Standish as he wiped his Feet on the Rock. This was No Joke and the Rock Felt it.

Then Standish got Ready to make it Warm for Jones, the Master of the Mayflower, for landing them There. But there was so much Snow and Ice that it was too Big a Contract; besides, Governor Carver said he was a man of Peace, and there was No Proof that the Dutch had agreed to Put up Boodle for Jones if he landed the Pilgrims outside Manhattan Colony Limits.

Somehow, The Rock wasn't Up to Date as a place for Housekeeping, and the Log houses the Pilgrims built didn't have Furnaces and Modern Conveniences enough to suit Jones, though he got into Hot and Cold Water whenever he met Standish, so he sailed away with the Mayflower for England.

Then the Young Wives and the Little

widowers and bachelors that the women were not Tempted to waste Time and money in Matrimonial Agencies, but only had to Decide Whom they would Condescend to Marry.

This Deciding Things troubled Priscilla Molines. Priscilla was the French Maid. She Laughed a Great Deal, for her Teeth were Small and even as a Squirrel's. She was the Best Cook in Plymouth Colony, and she could Shrug her Shoulders and look out of the Tail of her Eye at a Man. Other girls said she had Red Hair.

One day Governor Bradford took the



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Little Captain by the Buttonhole. Said he: "Myles, I'm going to talk to you like a Dutch Uncle. You Ought to Marry. It is your duty to the Commonwealth to Become a Family Man."

Standish wagged his Red Beard. "Oh, Come Off, Will Bradford," says he. "I'm in shape to Blow the Heads off of the Indians for you, but don't say Marry to me." But Bradford Kept On saying it.

Next day Standish walked out to the green Wheat Field on the hillside. Rose Standish slept beneath it with Fifty others from the Colony. Then he thought of Priscilla Molines and the way she Laughed at the Men. Myles Standish Groaned. Then he Thought Out a Pretty Plan.

There was John Alden. John was a big, soft-hearted Strawberry Blonde. Priscilla Looked at him Frequently, but he Never said Anything.

John and the Captain lived together. Myles wasn't much for Size, but he Didn't have his red beard for Nothing, and he Bossed John. John would do Anything for him.

Myles went home and he said: "John, go and tell Priscilla Molines that I am Ready to Marry her."

John nearly Fell to Pieces. He had been trying for a Month to get his Gird up and ask her for Himself. He Gulped twice and said: "Yes, sir." He Jammed his hands into his Hip pockets and Started to the Elder's house. He Forgot his Hat.

Priscilla was Spinning. She asked

Were the Savages Coming? He said he did not Know, he Hoped so, and that Myles Standish was Ready to Marry Her.

Priscilla's eyes looked Dangerous, and she said Something in French. John could not Understand it, so he Began to Explain. The Captain was Too busy to go Courting, so he sent him.

Priscilla said she did not Like Little



"JAMMED HIS HANDS INTO HIS POCKETS AND STARTED FOR THE ELDER'S."

Men, and there could be too much Red Hair in One Family.

John felt Better and told her how Kind and Honorable and Brave and Gentle and generally Elegant the Captain was, until Priscilla's Thread got Tangled up. She took a Step Toward John. She Tipped up One Shoulder and looked Down at him from the Corner of her Eye. Her lips were Red. "Why don't you Speak for Yourself, John?" she said. Then John Took a few Steps and her Thread Broke and She Ran away.

But Myles Standish was Mad Clear Through.

Well, the Pilgrims Worried through the Summer, though there was Plenty of Nothing but Prayer and Privation.

"All Fasting and no Feasting makes me Weary," said Governor Bradford, so after the Harvest, in November, he Ordered a Week of Feasting and Thanksgiving. Massachusetts and Ninety Braves were Invited, just to show them that the White Man Forgave the Indians for Living.

The Indians came early and Brought their Appetites. Most of the Pilgrims were in Bed. Massachusetts did not Ring the Doorbells. He merely gave a few Playful Warwhoops and his braves did the Rest. The Pilgrims Got Up.

"A Dog does not Bite the Hand that



"MY SWORD IS A GOOD WIFE, MARRIAGE IS A FAILURE, ANYHOW."

Feeds him," said the governor. "Fly around, girls, and get Breakfast." This was the Bill of Fare: Hasty Pudding, Treacle, Clam Chowder.

Cold boiled Venison.

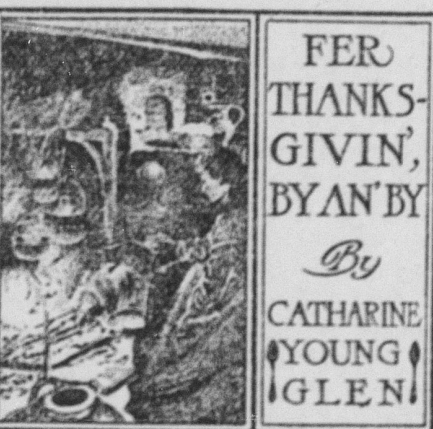
Turnips.

When the Guests Left the table there wasn't Anything else left except the Dishes, and not having Pockets, Massachusetts and his Braves did not Carry Away the Spoons as Souvenirs.

Next Captain Standish had his Innings. The Captain Played in Great Form. He marched his Army of Nineteen Men down from the fort by Twos and Threes and Fours. They made Hollow squares and Every Old Thing he could think of. They Blazed away with the Cannon on Top of the Fort, and the cannon on the Hill. Then they All fired together into the air. At this Time Massachusetts decided that it would be a Good Plan to go deer Hunting. So he and his Braves Went.

Priscilla sang, "I Don't Care if They Never Come Back," but they did, and brought Deer and Turkeys and Oysters by the Bushel. Priscilla Bossed the other women and John Alden and they Cooked and Cooked, and the Men Ate and ate, just as they do Now, for Three Days.

When Captain Standish saw John Alden bringing Wood and Water for Priscilla, and Opening oyster shells and Standing Close by Her, and heard her Singing, he turned and looked at the Wheat Standing Untouched on the Hillside. Then he went up into the Little Fort and Cleaned up the Gun, saying to himself, "Well, what's the Difference? My Sword is a Good Wife. Marriage is a Failure Anyhow."—Detroit Free Press.



There's a laffin' in the kitchen
Makes ye want to hang around;
There's a hustin' an' a bustlin'
An' a choppin', choppin' sound.
There's a somethin' warm an' plummy
Keeps remindin' ye o' pie,
Or a puddin' an' a good 'un!
There's a cake that hits yer eye
In the cellar, gittin' meller,
If ye're mean enough to spy!

It's a curlin' out the chimney,
It's a sneakin' to ye, workin',
In the field an' everywhere,
Ye ken tell it, ye ken smell it,
It's around ye, fur or nigh;
There's a brewin' an' a stevin'
An' a many things a-doin'
Fer Thanksgivin', by an' by.
—Youth's Companion.

THE THANKSGIVING DINNER

Oysters.
Clear soup.
Slices of boiled salmon with sauce tartare;
potato balls.
Boiled turkey with chestnut sauce; mashed
sweet potato; cranberries; cauliflower.
Pineapple sherbet.
Chicken pie; dressed lettuce.
Burning mince pie.
Ice cream with pistachio nuts; small cakes.
Wafers and Brie cheese.
Nuts and raisins; coffee.

Turkey Stuffed With Chestnut Dressing.

Draw, singe and truss a turkey, cleaning and wiping dry inside and out. Fill two-thirds with the following dressing: Boil two pounds of French chestnuts twenty minutes, shell, blanch, and chop very fine; add to them one pint of mashed potato seasoned with two rounding table-spoonfuls hard butter, one teaspoonful salt, one-fourth tablespoonful paprika, two eggs; sew up both vents; dredge with a thick coat of butter and flour; place in pan; fill full of hot water; set in hot oven; baste every ten minutes; when browned evenly, remove and garnish with fried parsley, pineapples, nut meats, and celery hearts. Thicken the drippings after removing surplus grease; strain and season it.

Thanksgiving Thoughts.

THE MAN OF THE HOUSE.
No man in this town—I here safely opine—
Sits down to a better planned dinner than mine.

THE HOSTESS.
For many things she's grateful, but one
Is most in sight,
She's thankful that the dinner went off
Exactly right.

THE SMALL BOY.
"We had to go to church," says Freddy,
with a groan;
"Carve th' turkey quick, pa; I'm starved
clear to the bone."

THE COOK.
"Now, none o' yer sauce!" sez missus to me—
"Exceptin' yer cranberry sauce," sez she.



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PENNSYLVANIA R. R.

Philad. & Erie R. R. Division
and Northern Central Ry.

Time Table in Effect May 29, 1904.

TRAINS LEAVE MONTANDON, EASTWARD

7:38 A. M.—Train 64. Week days for Sunbury, Harrisburg, arriving at Philadelphia, 11:45 a. m. New York 2:25 p. m. Baltimore 12:15 p. m. Washington 1:30 p. m. Parlor car and passenger coach to Philadelphia.

9:22 A. M.—Train 36. Daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg, Scranton, Harrisburg and intermediate stations. Week days for Scranton, Harrisburg, and Philadelphia, Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore, Washington. Through passenger coaches to Philadelphia.

1:24 P. M.—Train 12. Week days for Sunbury, Harrisburg, Scranton, Harrisburg, and intermediate stations. Week days for Scranton, Harrisburg, and Philadelphia, Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore, Washington. Through passenger coaches to Philadelphia.

4:45 P. M.—Train 22. Week days for Wilkes-Barre, Scranton, Hazleton, Pottsville, and intermediate stations. Week days for Scranton, Harrisburg, and Philadelphia, Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore, Washington. Through passenger coaches to Philadelphia.

5:10 P. M.—Train 6. Daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg, and all intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 4:28 a. m., New York 7:15 a. m., Baltimore, 2:20 a. m., Washington, 3:30 a. m. Pullman sleeping cars from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleepers undisturbed until 7:30 a. m.

WESTWARD.

5:35 A. M.—Train 3. (Daily) For Erie, Canandaigua, Rochester, Buffalo, Niagara Falls and intermediate stations, with passenger coaches to Erie and Rochester. Week days for DuBois, Buffalo and Pittsburgh. On Sundays only Pullman sleeper to Philadelphia.

10:00 A. M.—Train 31. (Daily) For Lock Haven and intermediate stations, and week days for Tyrone, Clearfield, Philipsburg, Pottsville and West, with through cars to Tyrone.

1:31 P. M.—Train 61. Week days for Kane, Tyrone, Clearfield, Philipsburg, Pottsville, Canandaigua, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with through passenger coaches to Kane and Rochester, and Parlor car to Philadelphia.

5:36 P. M.—Train 1. Week days for Renovo, Elmira and intermediate stations.

10:07 P. M.—Train 67. Week days for Williamsport and intermediate stations. Through Parlor Car and Passenger Coach for Philadelphia.

9:10 P. M.—Train 921. Sunday only, for Williamsport and intermediate stations.

CENTRAL RAILROAD OF PENNSYLVANIA.
Condensed Time Table. Week Days.

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1904.

TERMS.—The terms of subscription to the Reporter are one dollar per year in advance.
ADVERTISEMENTS.—20 cents per line for three insertions, and 5 cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Other rates made known on application.

RESOLUTIONS AND CARDS OF THANKS.—Resolutions of respect will be charged for at the rate of one-half cent per word, payable in advance; the minimum charge being \$1.00. Cards of thanks, two cents per word, minimum charge, fifty cents, also payable in advance.

The figures opposite your name on label of paper indicate the date to which your subscription is paid. When no date is given the date implied is July, 1905; when no month is given the month implied is July—thus: "00" means July, 1905; "01" means July, 1906; "02" means that your subscription is paid in advance to July, 1907. Other months than July are indicated by abbreviations. When you pay your subscription always examine your label, and when a notice appears that corrections have been made, compare and report immediately if you have not been given proper credit. No receipts for subscription will be sent by mail unless by special request. The change of date on label ought to be sufficient evidence. Money by mail is reasonably safe. There have been no losses to this date.

The gentlemen in the various parts of the country who are making post-haste efforts to reorganize the Democratic party should bide a wee. Unless all precedent is at fault before four years roll around they will have no need to cast about for new issues. If would-be reorganizers will but take nursery advice and

rest a little longer,
Till the little wings are stronger,
The country will be ready to go whirling back to the shelter of undoctored Democracy.

The bureaucrats of the War Department have been notified that the private telephones in their homes will no longer be maintained at public expense. This is a justifiable saving at the spigot. Now let the Administration turn its attention to the bung-holes through which the stream of waste and extravagance is rushing on every hand.

If Roosevelt should revert the Roosevelt—the unspooled Roosevelt whom Quay and Platt sought to hide and smother in the folds of the Vice Presidency—the stand-patters might get a dose of tariff reform and the spoils-mongers a civil service reform bolus that would make the political pot boil again. And he stands pledged to "a square deal."

It is stated that \$400,000 of the Republican campaign fund still remains unexpended. As the Trusts would disdain a pro-rata return of such a trifle, the money will constitute the basis of a fund for the next campaign.

The stand-patters are already hurrying to Washington to brace up the sinews of the newly-converted President, who appears to be giving a too willing ear to the friends of reciprocity and tariff reform.

Those who don't believe the Pension Office is a cure to make good men rare, and wise men rear and tear their hair, are respectfully referred to Ware.

Pennsylvania Railroad Company Will Issue Clerical Orders for 1905.

Pursuant to its usual custom, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will issue clerical orders for the year 1905 to ordained clergymen having regular charges as settled pastors of churches located on or near its lines. Clergymen desiring such orders should make individual application for same on blanks furnished by the Company and which can now be obtained from the Ticket Agents. Applications should be sent to the General Office of the Company as soon as possible, in no case later than December 15, so that orders may be mailed by December 30, to all clergymen entitled to receive them.

"Piff, Paff, Pouf."

F. C. Whitney, the well-known producer will present "Piff, Paff, Pouf," at the Chestnut Street Theatre, Philadelphia, for two weeks commencing Monday, November 28th. This show has enjoyed an unintermitted engagement of eight months at the New York Casino, having finished its remarkable run there only the past week. Twice the duration of its stay in New York was prolonged. It has been termed a "musical cocktail" in two swallows. There are so many novelties, so many big features, so many real stars in "Piff, Paff, Pouf" that patrons of the most popular musical comedy that the public has known in twenty years, are puzzled to know just what special feature is entitled to the most credit. Melody, beauty and color is what "Piff, Paff, Pouf" means when it is translated into the language current among wise theatre-goers. The songs are of the kind that are famous with hand-organs and restaurant orchestras. There is a song in the air all the time; in fact there are twenty musical numbers, and none of them are deadwood.

Perhaps the greatest novelty in "Piff, Paff, Pouf" is the "Radium Dance" executed by the eight young ladies who compose the original English Pony Ballet. Mr. Whitney first produced this dance at the opening of the engagement at the Casino last spring, and it has remained one of the pre-eminent theatrical novelties of the season. Matinees will be given on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

Smith, the Photographer.

W. W. Smith, the photographer, will be in Centre Hall on Friday of this week, until 2:30 p. m.

Spring Mills.

Newton Zerby, of Green Grove, returned to school Monday.

Mrs. H. S. Braucht and son Dean returned Monday from visiting friends in Howard and Nittany Valleys.

Mrs. J. R. G. Allison and son Gross, of Centre Hall, spent Wednesday with the family of C. P. Long.

Many wells are dry and people are at a great disadvantage on account of scarcity of water.

The Presbyterians have erected a very neat shed near their church, for the protection of their horses.

Mrs. Mary Fredericks went to the home of James McClintic to spend a few weeks.

Rev. D. A. Artman, of Howard, was in town on Friday on business.

The Georges Valley Hunting Club returned on Friday, without any further success.

Communion services were observed in the United Evangelical church on Sunday evening; Rev. E. Crumblin, P. E., of Lewisburg, officiated. The services were largely attended.

C. P. Long made a business trip to Bellefonte Monday.

C. S. Garbrick, of Walker, made a business trip to town on Saturday.

C. E. Zeigler, wife and son Paul, made a trip to Nittany Valley and Lock Haven, last week.

George Fisher, of Lewisburg, was here on a hunting expedition last week and was successful in bagging some small game.

Dr. Braucht and T. M. Gramley drove to State College last Friday, where they attended the dedication of the new Carnegie Library.

Samuel Sowers had his eye injured last Sunday, by having a trap door fall on him while coming from the cellar at the station with a bucket of coal.

Bruce Gramley came home from State, to spend Thanksgiving with his parents.

The teachers, after having spent a very pleasant and profitable week in Bellefonte, opened their respective schools last Monday morning. All the work is moving along in the usual and regular order.

Rebersburg.

Mrs. James Wert, of Boalsburg, spent a few days last week with her mother, Mrs. Sadie Brungart.

Ella Krape, of Clintonville, was seen on our streets one day last week.

William Bair, last week, went to St. Louis.

Miss Iva Kidder has gone to Philadelphia where she will be employed this winter.

Mrs. Rebecca Sparr, of Boalsburg, is visiting friends and relatives here.

William Weaver, son of Calvin Weaver, of this place, came home last week with his foot badly scalded. He had been working in Pitsa.

Mrs. Hettie Gramley, an aged lady of this place, is on the sick list.

Emanuel Guisewite, of Aaronsburg, was in town last week.

Mrs. Rose Dehl is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Corman, in this place.

Calvin Mallory, who moved to New Berlin last spring, returned to his own home in this place, last week.

Edwin Frank and family spent Saturday at Greenburr, visiting Mrs. Frank's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zellers.

Millheim.

Mrs. Charles Bassler and son Glenn, of Selinsgrove, are visitors at the home of Mrs. Bassler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Spigelmyer.

Lester, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Musser, who was employed in southern Iowa during the summer, was an arrival Saturday. Before coming east he spent a week at the St. Louis Exposition.

Harry Coil was at State College last week on business, and while there attended the dedication services of the Carnegie Library.

A Kessler contemplates remodeling the house lately purchased by him from the Gepharts.

Barber G. L. Springer joined a party of hunters from Milton Monday for a week's hunt in Little Sugar Valley; they have pitched their tent near the old toll gate between Brush and Nittany Valleys.

Pine Stump.

Mrs. John Arney and grand-son, Bruce Arney, of Centre Hall, spent Friday at the home of Wm. Tate.

Misses May Walker and Jennie Askey, of Bellefonte; Mrs. Samuel Burris, of Axemann, visited at the home of the former's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Walker, on Sunday.

John Wright spent Sunday at Tyrona with friends.

Misses Sallie and Alice Burris, and Frank Walker, all of Axemann, spent Sunday with the former's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Burris.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Geringer, of Black Hawk, spent Thursday evening at the home of Wm. Tate.

G. W. Dunkle, of Elmira, N. Y., was in town Tuesday and Wednesday. Mr. Dunkle moved to Elmira from Spring Mills about a year ago, but finds the climate unsuited to his rheumatism, and consequently has decided to move to Centre Hall next spring, or perhaps, before.

Harris Township.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Grenoble, of Pine Hall, were guests at the Fortney home on Saturday.

Calvin and John Fisher, of Bellefonte, enjoyed their vacation with their playmates in Boalsburg.

Mrs. Clara Rupp with her two little boys, Paul and Orrie, spent last Tuesday at State College.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hettinger and Mr. and Mrs. Shutt attended the reception, Friday evening, given by Stine Walker in honor of the marriage of his son Mites to Miss Mabel Carl.

Quite a number of our people were in attendance at the dedication of the Carnegie Library at State College on Friday.

The Matoes returned from their hunting expedition without any game.

The Riley party shot three more deer, which makes seven in all.

W. H. Stuart is enjoying a few days in the mountains.

Mrs. Harriet Fortney is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wellers, at Flemington.

Mrs. Sara Geringer visited friends at Tusseyville.

Mrs. J. H. Weber, of Centre Hall, and Mrs. S. E. Weber, of Altoona, spent Saturday in Boalsburg.

Mrs. Rebecca Kremer returned from an extended visit with friends at Johnstown.

C. D. Moore visited his brother, Samuel, at State College, who is ill from ailments of the heart.

Mrs. J. W. Miller, of Pine Hall, is spending the week with friends in this locality.

Miss Mary Reish spent last week with Mrs. Hall Bottorf, near Houserville.

Mrs. Miller, of Bellefonte, is visiting at the home of R. B. Harrison.

Mrs. Lillian Ross Meyer, of Milford, Virginia, is having an enjoyable time visiting and entertaining friends in this her former home. Her description of southern homes, and the customs and manners of the people is quite interesting.

Willis Fry, of Centre Hill, spent Sunday at his parental home, at Shingletown.

Mr. and Mrs. Clement Dale, of Houserville, attended services in the Lutheran church Sunday.

Odes Cori and family were visitors from Pine Hall.

Home missionary day will be observed by the Sunday school of the Reformed church Sunday evening.

During the past month quite a lot of canned fruit, apples, potatoes, and other products of the farm, have been shipped from here to private families at Pittsburgh, Altoona, Williamsport, and other cities.

James M. Ross shipped nearly two hundred bushels of apples to a grocer in Altoona.

Barnhart Stamm, of Altoona, has rented the Goheen farm; Joseph Myers, of Axemann, the farm belonging to the heirs of Peter Hoy, and Amos Koch, of Ferguson township, the farm known as the Awi farm, one mile west of Shingletown.

Miss Edith Dale, of Lemont, and Miss Annie Kaup, of Oak Hall, were callers in Boalsburg last Thursday.

Mrs. Stover, of Unionville, is spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Laura Bricker; she was accompanied by Mrs. Parsons, who tarried for a few days.

Mrs. Anna Glenn, with her little girls, are visitors from Rixford at the home of Mrs. M. A. Woods.

Miss Mary Woods, of Spring Mills, spent Sunday in Boalsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Condo, with two children, visited at the home of William Young.

Josiah Dale, of Centre Hall, was here on Tuesday, taking orders for dry goods.

Insurance Agent Showers, of Spring Mills, was here last week.

R. B. Harrison, Adam Felty, and J. H. Meyer transacted business at State College.

Plum Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Auman and children, of Linden Hall, spent Sunday at the home of P. A. Auman.

Roy Schaffer and Miss Sarah Keen spent Sunday evening with the Misses Swartz.

Harvey Rachau and son Maurice, of Spring Mills, spent several days with Ivy Bartges.

Misses Lucina and Puella Swartz spent Sunday afternoon at the home of N. B. Shaffer.

William Keller and Sydney Poorman returned to their homes after spending ten days at the St. Louis Fair.

N. B. Schaffer is the happiest man in Plum Grove since the arrival of that bouncing baby boy.

Lettie and Elmer Musser, of near Zion, visited several days with friends at this place and Centre Hall.

Thursday evening a party of young people assembled at the home of Nathaniel Zeigler; those present were, Misses Prudence Swartz, Lizzie Winkler, Lizzie and Mary Alexander, Lucina and Puella Swartz, Maggie Kuhn, and Mabel Bowersox; Messrs. Wm. Lingle, George Sharer, Archie Homan, Roy Schaffer, John Curry, Charles Auman, Milton Bradford, James Lingle, and James Alexander. All report having had a fine time.

Centre Reporter, \$1.00 a year.

Wedding December 7th.

Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. Michael Shires, of Spring Mills, for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Kate, to Robert E. Catherman, of Spring Mills, at noon of December 7th.

Marriage Licenses.

Wm. W. Jones, Phillipsburg.
Agatha A. Ammerman, Unionville.
Harry R. Kister, Bellefonte.
Maude Reed, Bellefonte.
James Callahan, Pleasant Gap.
Lulu N. Dubbs, Centre Hall.

Horse Sale.

Messrs. Gentzel & Beezer will sell at public sale a carload of fine Illinois colts at Millheim, Monday, November 28, 12:30 p. m. Consisting of good, heavy bodied stock, coming three and four years old, quite a few being mares in foal. Be sure to see them. Colts will be at Millheim several days previous to sale.

Aged Cripple Burned to Death.

Alvin Kinsloe, aged eighty-five years, was burned to death Monday night in his cabin on the outskirts of Snow Shoe, this county. Kinsloe was a cripple, having lost both legs in a railroad accident. He made his living by peddling and lived alone. The theory is that he was smoking in bed and accidentally set fire to the bed clothes.

Appreciates the Reporter.

Prof. Cyrus Grove, of Freeport, superintendent of public schools of Stephenson county, expresses himself thus: "You will find draft of one dollar enclosed for which please extend my label to the Centre Reporter to November 1905. This annual act is evidence of my continued appreciation of the paper which I have always regarded as eminently satisfactory, and increasingly so with advancing time. With sincerest hopes for your continued health and prosperity."

Postoffice at Potters Mills.

The postoffice at Potters Mills is to be re-established and opened for business within a short time.

Mrs. Frank A. Carson has been appointed postmistress. The appointment is entirely satisfactory to the patrons of the office, her ability and tact being far in excess of the necessary requirements.

Potters Mills largely owes the re-establishment of the postoffice to Merchant Frank A. Carson, in whose general store the office, prior to September 15th, was located and will again be located. When the office was closed, Mr. Carson, out of pure motives, at once began a campaign looking toward the restoration of the same, and with the almost united support of the citizens the desire was accomplished.

Capt. G. M. Boal advertises letters testamentary on the estate of his sister, Martha C. Orady, deceased, late of Cooperstown, Pa.

Mr. J. D. Murray Talks Right from the Shoulder.

At the sufferer from catarrh and all diseases resulting from an impure condition of the blood, he thrusts his challenge and guarantee. Buy a bottle of Vintena, take as directed, and if, after a few days, you do not feel greatly improved; if you do not feel that it is renewing your energy, cleansing the system of impurities, increasing the appetite, improving the digestion, in fact opening up a new vista of life, you need only inform him and your money will promptly be refunded. For sale at Murray's Drug Store.

Colyer.

Miss Maude Barr returned to her home in Lewisburg on Sunday, after having spent some time with her sick father, who is improving.

J. J. Jordan, one of the Keiffer and Passanocqua Hunting Club, shot a doe and fawn on Saturday, this being the third for the Company.

Miss Lavina Smith and niece, Miss Sara Dennis, of Lunar, visited friends in this section last week.

Miss Margaretta Rokey, of Tusseyville, spent a week with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. George Lee.

Sober.

B. F. Shaffer went to the woods to work.

George Hettinger lost a valuable mule last week.

Benjamin Shaffer's daughter is on the sick list.

W. W. Jamison is home with his mother; it is supposed he did not like the west.

A baby boy arrived at the home of D. D. Breen.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.—LETTERS TESTAMENTARY on the estate of Martha C. Orady, late of Cooperstown, deceased, having been duly granted to the undersigned, he would respectfully request any persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement. GEO. M. BOAL, Executor.

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THE SALT IN THE SEA.

Some Interesting Observations on One of Nature's Wonders.

The very fact that the waters of oceans are salty is a wonder within itself. That such is the case everybody knows, but why? Rivers are not salt, neither are some of the very largest of inland seas, yet one school of scientists will tell you that these same seas (lakes) are the remains of what was once a universal ocean, that there was once an upheaval of the land and that all the waters settled in basins except that which drained off. If this is a fact, why are these lakes or seas now fresh? Don't tell me, says an investigator, that it is because they have been evaporating through the long centuries and that the vacancy has been supplied by fresh waters from rivers. Great Salt Lake is no less salty now than it was 3,000 years ago and probably a great deal more so.

The water of the Caribbean sea is dense compared with that of the Atlantic in the vicinity of the Cape Verde Islands, the proportion being eleven to twenty-one. Why is this? It is certainly a fact that they are both of one body of water. The variety of saline matter found in all sea water is universally the same. There is another fact which should be mentioned while we are classifying sea water—that is this: When the saltiness of oceans is referred to, it must not be understood as being the table salt of commerce (chloride of sodium), for there are many other salts in the solution. Expert hydrographers tell us that there are enough of these various salts held in suspension in the waters of the oceans to cover the whole landed surface of the globe to a depth of 1,500 feet—in other words, that there is 60,000,000,000,000,000 tons so held in suspension! The sea is salt by reason of the earth's washings which are poured into it.

MAXIMS OF SUCCESS.

The truest wisdom is a resolute determination.—Napoleon I.

Things don't turn up in this world until somebody turns them up.—James A. Garfield.

The one serviceable, safe, certain, remunerative, attainable quality in every study and pursuit is the quality of attention.—Charles Dickens.

The talent of success is nothing more than doing what you can do well and doing well whatever you do, without a thought of fame.—Longfellow.

Never don't do nothin' which isn't your fort, for if you do you'll find yourself splashing' around in the kanaw, figuratively speakin'.—Artemus Ward.

I never did anything worth doing by accident. Anything I have begun is always on my mind, and I am not easy while away from it until it is finished.—Thomas A. Edison.

Never desert your line of talent. Be what nature intended you for, and you will succeed; be anything else, and you will be ten thousand times worse than nothing.—Sydney Smith.

Thunderstorms.

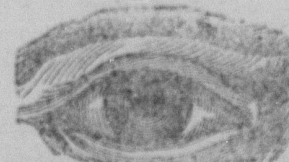
Thunderstorms are more frequent in Java than in any other part of the world, there being an average of ninety-seven days in each year upon which they occur. Next to Java comes Sumatra, which never has less than eighty-six "thunder days" per year. Then come Hindustan with 56, Borneo with 54, the African Gold Coast with 52 and the region around Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, with 51. The European list is headed by Italy, with 38 thunder days out of the 365 on an average. Austria has 23; Baden, Wurttemberg and Hungary each average 22; Silesia, Bavaria and Belgium have 21; Holland and Saxony 18; France, Austria and south Russia 16; Great Britain and Switzerland only 7. At Cairo, Egypt, and in north Russia and in Sweden and Norway the average is only 4 per year. In Finland and east Turkestan thunderstorms are wholly unknown.

Larry—How did Murphy break his arm?
Denny—Following the doctor's prescription.

Larry—Phwat?
Denny—Yis; it blew out av th' window, and Murphy wint after it.

Clover seed wanted. Price according to quality.—J. H. & S. E. Weber, Centre Hall and Oak Hall.

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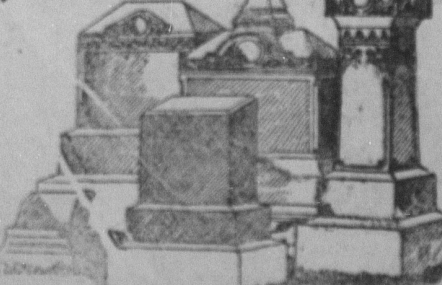
TRANSFER TAVERN LICENSE

Notice is hereby given that the position of J. Albert Walton was this day filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions, praying the Court that the tavern license of Mary Walton, Coal Exchange Hotel, Phillipsburg, Boro, be transferred to him.

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Christmas Photo's.

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Bought Burrell Property.

Daniel A. Ertel bought the Spear G Burrell property, one-half mile east of Penn Hall, for a consideration of \$1000. Mr. Ertel will retire from farming. Frank Richardson will move on the farm vacated by Mr. Ertel, north of Penn Hall.

Destroyed 50,000 Diseased Trees

State Economic Zoologist H. A. Surface reports that 50,000 peach trees which had been shipped in Cumberland Valley for sale by a New Jersey nurseryman have been confiscated, as the trees were thickly covered with San Jose scale.

Broken Leg from Horse's Kick.

While hitching up a team of horses at the home of his father, at Fairbrook, one of the animals kicked William Frank on the leg, breaking and otherwise shattering the bone between the knee and ankle. The fracture was reduced by Dr. Houser.

Hags Turkeys and Pheasants.

R. P. Baldwin and son Earl, of Collegeville, came up to Centre county to do a bit of hunting, and while here were the guests of J. W. Mitterling. Mr. Baldwin is a real estate agent, but he also proved himself a good sportsman, having killed two wild turkeys on one shot. He also captured two pheasants. The son had the good fortune to kill a large wild turkey.

Program for Progress Grange.

Following is the program for Progress Grange meeting December 3rd:

How can people without means acquire means most readily by business methods?

What constitutes the essential features inside the ideal home?

What are required as the outside attractions of the ideal home?

What should the different members of the family contribute to an ideal home?

The Faith Cure a Hoax.

The faith cure as far as concerns Miss Minnie Kline, of Altoona, has proven to be a hoax. Beginning of October the Altoona papers published a lengthy account of the complete cure of spine curvature, from which affliction Miss Kline suffered since her childhood. It is now stated that the lady is confined to her bed, and that the restoration ascribed to faith was never experienced. Miss Kline is a daughter of J. A. Kline, of Oak Hall.

LOCALS.

Charles Mitterling returned to Chicago where he is working in a drug store.

J. W. Mitterling Tuesday shipped a car load of milk cows to the eastern market.

The usual missionary anniversary services will be held in the Lutheran church, Boalsburg, Thanksgiving morning.

The Pennsylvania state Luther League will hold next year's convention October 24th and 25th, in Williamsport.

Mrs. Margaret Steinheiser, of Collegeville, arrived Tuesday and will remain a week, the guest of her cousin, Mrs. J. W. Conley.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Geary were in Millheim Wednesday to attend the funeral of the former's brother, a lad of eight years of age.

The Missouri building at the World's Fair was destroyed by fire Saturday evening at about five o'clock. The building cost \$145,000.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wion, of near Bellefonte, Sunday were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Wion and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Swabb, in this place.

Methodist appointments: Centre Hall, morning; Spruce town, afternoon; Spring Mills, evening. Evangelistic meetings at Spruce town every evening this week.

Fire destroyed the large barn on the Isaac Kauffman farm, in the vicinity of Bellefonte, Millin county. Several thousand bushels of grain were burned. Loss, \$600; partly covered by insurance.

Messrs. Isaac Shawver, George W. Glace, J. Frank Smith, Dr. J. K. Hosterman and John Kauffmann Monday went to Baldy Mountain for three days' hunting. Each one had his rations strapped to his back.

Messrs. William and James Fetterolf drove to Lewistown Sunday to pay a visit to their uncle, Irvin Fetterolf, who recently underwent a surgical operation, at which time a cancerous tumor was removed from his back.

McClure's Magazine for December fairly radiates the spirit of Christmas. There is good cheer, pleasant entertainment, the beauty and joy of life shining out of its pages; and underlying all this there is compelling seriousness and importance.

LOCALS.

Hon. James Kerr has returned from Europe.

D. J. Meyer drove to Reedsville on Wednesday.

The report that Gardner Grove had purchased Penns Cave is incorrect.

John L. McClenahan is the first to report big hogs this season. The weights were 480 and 439.

A party of Pittsburgh hunters killed a bear, on Slate Ridge, within a gun shot of the location of the Bradford hunting party.

The next Democratic congressional representation from Pennsylvania will be united on all matters pertaining to legislation and party policy.

Joshua Rossman, of near Farmers Mills, shipped a large number of chickens and turkeys from the Centre Hall railroad station. They were orders for Thanksgiving dinners.

Although turkeys were scarce, there were apparently sufficient to meet the demand. The price—14 to 15 cents per pound—no doubt had much to do with lessening the orders for Thanksgiving.

At a congregational meeting the members of the Trinity Lutheran Church of Selinsgrove, elected the Rev. Earnest R. McAuley, of Altoona, pastor, vice the Rev. J. B. Foelt, resigned.

Mail will not be delivered over the rural mail routes today (Thanksgiving). The Reporter, owing to this holiday granted the carriers by the postoffice department, will in many instances not be delivered until Friday.

John M. Shultz, manager of the National Bridge and Construction Company, of Syracuse, New York, was an arrival in town Saturday morning, and between trains spent the time with his father, Rev. J. F. Shultz. The junior Mr. Shultz went from here to Cattawissa where his company is building a large bridge. He and his wife expect to spend the holiday season here.

Painters Meet With Accident.

Messrs J. P. and Fred Weber, of Boalsburg, while returning from State College, where they had been painting, were thrown from an open buggy and received severe injuries. The latter was the most unfortunate, having been thrown on his face, and struck the ground with such force that the plate of his false teeth broke and cut both his upper and lower lip through and through. In dressing the wound it was necessary for the surgeon, Dr. Kidder, to stitch the wound both on the outside and inside.

The other Mr. Weber was badly shaken up, but feels no ill effects at this time. The accident was caused by the horse shying.

Kister, Reed.

A quiet wedding took place in Bellefonte Thursday evening of last week, when Miss Maude, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Reed, of that place, was united in marriage to H. R. Kister, of Bellefonte. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. Laurie, pastor of the Presbyterian church. No invitations were given out except to a few immediate relatives. After partaking of some refreshments, the party left on an evening train for a short wedding tour. On their way home the bride and groom tarried a few days in Millheim, at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Kister.

Four Hours' Hunt—Two Deer.

A party of hunters from Colver, Spring Bank, Centre Hill and Centre Hall for several hours Saturday hunted on Thick Head, Seven Mountains, and brought home with them two deer, both having been killed by Jacob J. Jordan. The others in the party were: Dr. J. K. Hosterman, Thomas Hosterman, Philip Frank, Benjamin Smith, William Colyer, J. M. Moyer, Clyde Bradford, E. W. Crawford, John Bitner, Jacob Royer and Charles Miller.

Oil in Somerset County.

Speculation concerning the existence of oil in Somerset county a new field, is at an end. The fluid was struck at a depth of 3,000 feet late Tuesday afternoon of last week, three miles west of Stoyestown on the farm of D. E. Long, where the Lincoln Oil and Gas Company has been drilling during the past sixty days. The product has averaged a steady output of six barrels per hour since the flow was struck.

Teachers' Local Institute.

The teachers' local institute for district No. 2, comprised of Centre Hall and State College boroughs, Potter, Ferguson and College townships, will be held in Centre Hall, Friday and Saturday, February 24 and 25. The program committee is as follows: S. W. Gramley, Centre Hall; Henry M. Hosterman, Boalsburg; Miss Edith C. Snyder, State College. The institute promises to be one of unusual interest.

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DEATHS.

REUBEN M. MAGEE.

Reuben M. Magee, a well-known member of the Philadelphia bar, died suddenly Tuesday at his home 3619 Powelton Avenue, aged sixty-five years. Death was due to a stroke of apoplexy.

Mr. Magee had been a resident of Philadelphia for fifteen years. He formerly lived in Bellefonte and was at different times District Attorney and superintendent of schools of Centre county. In politics he was a staunch Democrat, and was vice-president of the Tariff Reform Association in Philadelphia. At the time of his death Mr. Magee was manager of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, a member of the Underwriters' Society, vice-president of the Centre county Association, and he was for many years an Odd Fellow.

His widow and three sons, William A., Forrest N. and Boyd H., all of Philadelphia, survive him.

He is also survived by two sisters, Mrs. Jane Harper, Centre Hall, and Mrs. Sarah Bierly, Bradner, Ohio. One brother, William Magee, died when a young man. The deceased was a native of Miles township, where he lived when holding the office of county superintendent.

Funeral services will be held at his late home on Friday evening. The funeral party will proceed to Bellefonte, where interment will be made Saturday, services in the Reformed church 11 o'clock a. m.

MRS. HENRY ROYER.

After an illness covering a period of several months, Mrs. Henry Royer departed this life Thursday of last week, at her home east of Centre Hill. Interment was made Sunday forenoon in Hickman's cemetery, near Penn Hall, Rev. J. M. Reardon and Dr. D. M. Wolf officiating.

Mrs. Royer is survived by her husband and three children, two sons and one daughter, namely: Harvey E. Royer, Colby, Ohio; John F. Royer, of near Madisonburg, and Miss Edith, at home.

The deceased's maiden name was Amelia Heckman. She was the sister of ex-Commissioner Daniel Heckman, of Bellefonte; John F. Heckman, Spring Mills, and Mrs. Henry Mark, of near Penn Hall; Elias Heckman, Orangeville, Ill.

Mrs. Royer's age was sixty-eight years and seven months. The direct cause of her death was diabetes.

MRS. J. FRANK BIBLE.

Although the death of Mrs. J. Frank Bible, of Centre Hill, was not unexpected, the news cast a gloom over the entire community. She was a young woman, well thought of by all her neighbors and acquaintances, and was a devoted wife and mother of a child aged about two years.

Mrs. Bible was stricken with consumption and was ill ever since early in the fall. Death came Sunday night. Interment was made in the Spruce town cemetery Wednesday morning, Rev. G. W. McIlroy, of the Methodist church, officiating.

Mrs. Bible was a daughter of Mrs. Eliza Smith, of Centre Hill, and was aged twenty-eight years, eight months.

JOHN W. BITNER.

John W. Bitner, a well known resident of Liberty township, died at his home in Blanchard, after an illness with lung trouble for some months. He was aged seventy-eight years and is survived by the following sons: William, Allison, Ira, Clarence, and Percy, all of Liberty township, and two daughters, Mrs. Leonard Metzgar, of Beesh Creek, and Mrs. John McGregor, of Flemington.

RALPH GEARY.

The death of Ralph Geary occurred in Millheim Monday morning. He was a son of Daniel L. Geary and was aged eight years. Death was due to a complication of diseases, his illness dating back to the beginning of July. During the latter days of his life the boy suffered the most excruciating pain.

Interment took place Wednesday morning, Rev. I. N. Blair, officiating.

MRS. MARTHA RAY.

Mrs. Martha Ray, widow of the late James Ray, died Thursday morning of last week at the old homestead, near Lemont, now occupied by the family of her son-in-law, Samuel Hagel. The deceased was about seventy years of age, and her death was due to a general breakdown. Funeral took place Saturday morning, interment being made in Houseville cemetery.

GURNEY S. KERSTETTER.

Gurney S. Kerstetter died at his home in Buffalo, Missouri, Saturday morning, of typhoid pneumonia. He was aged about thirty-seven years.

Mr. Kerstetter was a son of the late William Kerstetter, of Millheim, from which place he went west with his father-in-law, A. Reed Alexander.

He is survived by his wife and one child.

MRS. EMORY BRUNGART.

Mrs. Emory Brungart died at Hughesville, interment being made

Tuesday. She was the daughter of Jesse Mauck, deceased, and was raised in Millheim, where for a time she was engaged in the millinery business. The husband and two children survive.

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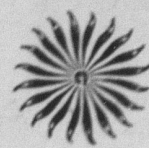
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FARM AND GARDEN



HOW INDIANS CATCH FISH.

Finny Prey First Put to Sleep With "Devil's Shoestring."

On the 1st of July the Indians will have near Sonora a big fish killing, which is considered great sport by them. Already a supply of "devil's shoestring" is being gathered for this purpose. This is the root of a certain bush, and owing to the fact that these roots go so deep, in so many directions, it is considered quite a task to get sufficient for use at a fish shoot.

On this particular occasion it is said that 2,500 bundles of "devil's shoestring" will be used. The Indians select a portion or hole of water in the river, and some of them will beat up this root and throw it in the water. This is repeated by another party of Indians a considerable distance from the first party, and the water becomes impregnated with the juice, and the effect on whatever fish may be in this particular place is marvelous. They become sick and float on the surface of the water, and then the shooting begins. The Indians shoot them with bows and arrows and spear them. After a sufficient quantity of fish have been gathered in, they repair to the hills and banks. The cleaning is done by the squaws, and after they are cooked the feast begins. While the fish are sickened and stunned by the juices from the root, the meat is not affected.—Kansas City Journal.

Automobile "Campaign."

General Booth's automobile "campaign" from Land's End, England, to Aberdeen, Scotland, took him over 1,500 miles of road. Everywhere he was received with enthusiasm.

"WHACKS" And What They Mean.

When Old Mother Nature gives you a "whack" remember "there's a reason" so try and say "thank you" then set about finding what you have done to demand the rebuke, and try and get back into line, for that's the happy place after all.

Curious how many highly organized people fail to appreciate and heed the first little, gentle "whacks" of the good old Dame, but go right along with the habit whatever it may be, that causes her disapproval. Whiskey, Tobacco, Coffee, Tea or other unnatural treatment of the body, until serious illness sets in or some chronic disease.

Some people seem to get on very well with those things for awhile, and Mother Nature apparently cares but little what they do.

Perhaps she has no particular plans for them and thinks it little use to waste time in their training.

There are people, however, who seem to be selected by Nature to "do things." The Old Mother expects them to carry out some department of her great work. A portion of these selected ones oft and again seek to stimulate and then deaden the tool (the body) by some one or more of the drugs—Whiskey, Tobacco, Coffee, Tea, Morphine, etc.

You know all of these throw down the same class of alkaloids in Chemical analysis. They stimulate and then depress. They take from man or woman the power to do his or her best work.

After these people have dragged for a time, they get a hint, or mild "whack" to remind them that they have work to do, a mission to perform, and should be about the business, but are loading along the wayside and become unfitted for the fame and fortune that waits for them if they stick to the course and keep the body clear of obstructions so it can carry out the behests of the mind.

Sickness is a call to "come up higher." These hints come in various forms. It may be stomach trouble or bowels, heart, eyes, kidneys or general nervous prostration. You may depend upon it when a "whack" comes it's a warning to quit some abuse and do the right and fair thing with the body.

Perhaps it is Coffee drinking that offends. That is one of the greatest causes of human disorder among Americans.

Now then if Mother Nature is gentle with you and only gives light, little "whacks" at first to attract attention, don't abuse her consideration, or she will soon hit you harder, sure.

And you may also be sure she will hit you very, very hard if you insist on following the way you have been going.

It seems hard work to give up a habit, and we try all sorts of wiles to charge our ill feelings to some other cause than the real one.

Coffee drinkers when ill will attribute the trouble to bad food, malaria, overwork and what not, but they keep on being sick and gradually getting worse until they are finally forced to quit entirely, even the "only one cup a day." Then they begin to get better, and unless they have gone long enough to set up some fixed organic disease, they generally get entirely well.

It is easy to quit coffee at once and for all, by having well made Postum, with its rich, deep, seal brown color which comes to the beautiful golden brown when good cream is added, and the crisp snap of good, mild Java is there if the Postum has been boiled long enough to bring it out.

It pays to be well and happy for good old Mother Nature then sends us her blessings of many and various kinds and helps us to gain fame and fortune.

Strip off the handicaps, leave out the deadening habits, heed Mother Nature's hints, quit being a loser and become a winner. She will help you sure if you cut out the things that keep you back.

"There's a reason" and a profound one.

Look in each package for a copy of the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville."

SOWING GRAIN IN STANDING CORN.

It is conceded by most farmers, that a crop of grain sown in standing corn is never as good as that taken from fallow ground; if often happens, however, that the farmer is so situated that he cannot cut up all his corn, but still wishes to seed all the land. What then is the best way to proceed with wheat or rye? In the first place it is much cheaper getting in a crop on such ground than the summer plowing and preparing of fallow; good wheat raises tell us that land for wheat should be sowed and worked down several weeks before sowing time. Now this is exactly the condition of corn land, broken in the spring, cultivated during the season, and then left in plenty of time to settle and become fine by September 15 or 20—giving us then an ideal seed bed encumbered only by the standing corn. To get the grain in properly the farmer must have a good one-horse drill either five or six hand with a fertilizer attachment. Have a strong, steady horse and give him his time, put a muzzle on him to save wasting corn and use a short single-tree; it will help in turning, if the outside row of corn is cut at ends of fields. With a good horse, a careful man will do good work and sow from five to six acres per day. The drill is arranged so it can be widened or closed to suit the width of rows; if corn is down or leaning, it will require an extra hand to go ahead and turn it. By using care and having a slow horse, the drill can be run very close to corn thus avoiding vacant strips of land. Of course farmers differ in their methods of work; some say you can never count on a good yield of wheat on corn ground. But I have raised 23 bushels per acre in standing corn and maintain that if it is not the best way to grow wheat it is often a very convenient way and so much cheaper, that one can afford to take a little less per acre. It is often objected that the corn rows will make very rough bottom if land is seeded down to meadow, but I find by actual experience that if the corn receives level cultivation at it should, if the last plowing is shallow, and in cutting meadow the mower is run with the old corn rows, you will find very little trouble. Again I think the stalks are a protection to grain in winter, for after being pastured by cattle they are broken down, make a covering, hold the snows and finally decay on the land. I used to know a farmer who had creek bottom fields planted in corn each year; he always sowed rye in his standing corn early in the fall, by which he kept his fields covered, got a lot of pasture when the ground was so he could turn in, and had a valuable coat of green manure to turn under in the spring for the next crop and mellow the effects of the rye roots. In sowing grain in standing corn, I would prefer that the corn be planted north and south so that the drill rows of grain may stand fairly to the sun and receive its effects equally on both sides. If the corn stands well, so it can be readily done, a one-horse drag or an old machine wheel drawn through the middle ahead of drill will smooth down any chance clods, level up the ground and insure the drill covering the seed to a uniform depth. As to amount of clean seed, kind and quantity of fertilizer per acre, I leave that to the intelligent decision of each farmer.—A. B. Milligan, in the Epitome.

GROWING CLOVER.

The growing of clover has so important place in dairy husbandry that we reproduce the following in this department from A. M. Ten Eyck in Kansas Farmer:

"It is usual to sow about ten to fifteen pounds of common red clover per acre, while five to eight pounds of the alsike clover per acre is sufficient.

"Clover should be sown early in the spring on a well-prepared seed-bed. The ground should be mellow at the surface but not loosened too deeply; rather, the subsurface should be firm (not hard). A good seed-bed for clover may be prepared by disking and harrowing corn-stubble, or on early fall-plowed ground. As a rule, it is not best to spring-plow and for seeding clover, a fallow, or any grass seed. Ground freshly plowed is apt to be too loose and mellow, and in case the weather remains dry the seed will start poorly and the young plants may be destroyed by drought. Clover may be sown broadcast and harrowed in. The seed should be fully prepared before seeding and harrowing after the seeding is sufficient to cover the seed. It may be sown in the average season to put the clover in with the drill. It will be necessary to have a grass-seeder attachment on the ordinary grain-drill in order to sow clover. An attachment in which the tubes from the grass seeder box join the spouts from the grain-box in order that the seed may be sown in the drill furrows is one of the best kind of implements to use for seeding clover.

"Usually at this station we have had good success in sowing broadcast and this is the simplest method of seeding. The clover may be seeded clover has made some start it is able

to withstand considerable drouth and adverse weather conditions.

"At this station we have the best success in getting a stand of clover in seeding alone without a nurse crop. In a favorable season, however, it is possible to get a stand of clover by seeding with some early spring grain. Also I have known of instances where clover was seeded in the wheat early in the spring and harrowed in. The cultivation as a rule does not injure the wheat and in a favorable season it is possible to get a catch in this way. In case clover is seeded with early spring grain the clover should be seeded after the cultivation is finished and the grain is sown, and then harrowed in lightly, once harrowing after seeding being sufficient to cover the seed. When grain is used as a nurse-crop it is best to sow the grain thinner than is the usual practice when grain is grown alone."

By hand or a handy implement for seeding broadcast is the little wheelbarrow seeder. It is possible, also, to sow clover-seed with an ordinary grain-drill by mixing the seed with ground feed, bran, ashes, etc., in proper proportions so as to sow the required amount of clover-seed per acre. Care should be taken in seeding with the drill not to plant the seed too deep. In the early spring the seed should not be covered with more than an inch or so of mellow soil. There is some danger of clover being killed by hard frosts in the spring when it is sown too early, and it may be safer to prepare the seed-bed and sow when the danger from hard frosts is past, choosing a time for seeding when it will sprout and grow at once. As a rule, however, I prefer early spring seeding; as the season advances and the weather gets hot, the young plants are apt to be burned off by a few days of hot weather, whereas if the

COST OF A YEARLING CALF.

The market value of a cow raised on the farm does not represent the whole profit of the operation. The home-raised cow, if properly cared for, is likely to give better satisfaction than one which has come out by chance and which has been sold by its owner for some good reason; but I reckon that calf raising is also a fairly good money-making operation. I estimate the value of the young calf fit to raise at \$4, milk for ten days \$2.50, oil meal and other grains, \$2.50, hay \$1.25, grass six to eight months \$7.50 calf meal for four months \$3, labor \$1.25, total about \$25, bringing the calf to a year of age, at which time, if she is of the proper stock, the value should be about \$30, leaving a clear margin of about \$5 profit.

My calves are weaned at four months old, having used up to that time about \$4 worth of milk. Some calves would, of course, be worth more at twelve months old, but none of proper stock and breeding should be worth less than the amount I have stated.

Calf raising gives no more trouble and costs no more than production of other farm specialties. It requires, say four months, careful attention on the part of somebody, but the final results repay all the bother attending the early stages.—L. W. C. in the Massachusetts Ploughman.

HANDLING COARSE FODDER.

Each and every farmer should have a good feed cutter for silo filling and for chaffing feed. By running all corn stalks through the machine, they give better returns when fed, and the coarser portions left uneaten are in good form for bedding and the manure heap. Long corn stalks are a nuisance in the feeding manger, worthless for bedding, and troublesome in the manure pile. Difficulty is found in a few cases in feeding cut corn-stalks as the cows refuse to eat them. In many cases the sharp ends of the cornstalks, when cut certain lengths, injure the mouth of the cows. Where they are not well eaten the cause is often due to overfeeding, or endeavoring to have the cow live on too limited a variety of foods. By keeping the mangers clean and feeding a cut fodder with care, very little will be left over, and that only the coarse, eat part. Where different varieties of corn are raised more of the cut stalks are eaten than if fed uncut under the same conditions. Less waste is found in feeding cut fodder as the animals eat the butts readily, but reject them when fed without being cut. All stock relish it when they become used to it, as well as hay or other chopped foods.—Otto Irwin in the Epitome.

SELLING LATE CHICKS.

Late-hatched chicks are sold whenever they reach five pounds per pair. The main point in their management is to keep them growing. They must be fed separately from the adults, and should not be crowded, or they will not grow. The best food is buckwheat in the morning. If buckwheat is not obtainable, use whole wheat. Do not feed too much in the morning, but let them seek their food on the range. At night give them a mess of cut meat and bone, with a second ration of wheat, and if they are kept free from lice they will thrive and grow rapidly.

SOME SMART FROCKS.

Exquisite gowns for home wear, or for "way down South," are already being shown in the shops. One is of pastelmauve crepe de chine, the fullness drawn into curved gaugings below the waist, has the lower part of the skirt looped up at intervals under medallions of cream lace, the bodice much swathed, but the folds in front falling soft and loose, little bows of pearly colored velvet studding the lace vest, the small shoulder collar of tucked chiffon trimmed with lace and velvet, the full elbow sleeves of lace. A very pretty gown is of ecru silk batiste, the full skirt trimmed with quillings of the material, and the bodice, drawn into a deep-pointed belt of eau de Nil silk, has a wide pointed collar of ecru broderie Anglaise, a cascade of little green bows half way down the front.

A dinner gown for a young girl is of a new net pattern with oblong rings, the skirt pleated into the waist, the hem simply feather-stitched, but on the lower part of the satin underskirt are insertions of lace and soft ruchings of chiffon. Lace also trims the full bodice with its sash of white and lilac-green chiffon to accord with the spray of lilies of the valley on the berthe.

A Watteau fancy dress is lovely, the petticoat of pink moire with a band of velvet at the hem, the white moire brocade sacque patterned with dainty little baskets of flowers, fitting the figure at the sides, with lace prettily draped around the open neck with tufts of daisies.

An evening gown is of magnificent heliotrope brocade, the pointed bodice tightly swathed, and outlining the low neck in a garniture of guipure inset with chine silk; soft gaugings of pale yellow tulle are held in place by straps of heliotrope velvet, a little basque of tulle threaded with chenille at the back only.

In Paris just now all the best dressed Frenchwomen are ordering the plainest, neatest coats and skirts imaginable, and one or two importers here are making a specialty this year of severely tailored made coats and skirts, depending entirely for their style on the perfection of the cut and fit, which have taken the fancy of the Parisian mondaines for country and morning wear. They are made in any twelf or serge preferred, but the newest material is a fine herring bone cheviot; it is made in various colors, such as dark Oxford gray, dark blue, green, red, purple, light gray, and, of course, black. One costume has an all-round simple but extremely well cut skirt: the coat, more like a habit, is a long three-quarter coat, single breasted and tight fitting, with coat sleeves, and the velvet collar is either plain or of velvet prettily embroidered in chenille and silks and a touch of gold thread. They give a distinctive note, these little French embroidered velvet collars, and are very smart.

In another costume the skirt is slightly different, the long three-quarter fitting coat partly double-breasted—that is, buttoning over diagonally in front—the back like a man's morning coat; and in yet another style the skirt is long, the coat has a tight-fitting back, and fronts semi-fitting with pockets at each side. This coat, though simple, is very smart. A capital little Norfolk costume is in herring-bone tweed.

For auto wear there is a splendidly warm coat and skirt of golden brown corduroy velvet piped with green velvet.—New York Globe.

CHILDREN'S LIES.

Should a child be punished for lying? How?

This question was recently brought home to me directly by an experience with my own ten-year-old boy. He had been ill upon the sofa, and in an absent-minded way had traced some crude drawings, evidently illustrating the story of Hiawatha, upon the wall. I called him to me and said, "Stuart, did you do that?" Having positive circumstantial evidence I felt confident of a humble affirmative answer. But, no. He looked me straight in the eye and said, "No, sir." I concealed my astonishment as best I could and said: "I always believe you, my boy. I will believe you now. If the whole world would line up and say that Stuart Krohn did make those pictures on the wall I would not believe them, but believe you." He wavered a little and said, with the air of a witness before the grand jury, "Well, anyway I don't remember anything about it." To this I replied, "I think I can also trust your memory." I went to my office, not returning until late at night, after he had retired. The next morning at break of day he was up engaged at the writing desk with pen, ink and paper. He would not tell anyone what he was doing nor would he leave his task until completed. When I went into my den an hour or so after breakfast I found a note on my desk, written in the formal school-boy style, and addressed in sealed envelope to "Mr. William O. Krohn." On opening it I found the following:

"Chicago, Ill., March 11, 1900.

"Dear Sir:—I am willing to confess that I scratched those pictures on the

wall. I also am willing to take the consequences.

"With haste,
"STUART KROHN."

Dear reader, can you wonder that I hold this letter sacred? Can you wonder that I highly prize its manliness? This letter is to me more precious than much fine gold. Punishment? Was I weak in thinking he had been punished enough by his twenty-four hours' consciousness of guilt? Was it weak to put my arm round him and say, "My boy I knew all the time that I could depend upon you."—William O. Krohn, in Child Study Monthly.

A NOBLE WOMAN GONE.

The recent death of Sister Martha Postler, of the Order of St. John, removes a striking figure from the ranks of the world's women. Born 44 years ago, in a humble little parsonage on the Russian-German frontier, she showed as a girl very noteworthy talents in the literary line. She contributed freely to journals and magazines, and began to acquire a fine reputation. She determined, however, to devote her life to the more immediate and practical needs of a suffering world. Having conceived a strange affection for China and the Chinese, the people, their customs, their religion and their literature, she removed to Hongkong, where she established a mission school for blind Chinese girls. She began with five, but when, after eight years of hard and unremitting work, she left for a vacation to her native land, she had so far advanced the interests of her school that it possessed a building of its own and numbered 40 pupils. The drain upon her time and energy was severe, and she gladly sacrificed to the work her fine talent for writing. As if by instinct, she returned to her native German city this year, and, after a lingering illness, caused by overwork, she died. Her last work was entitled "A Chinese New Year's Flower," which she sent to her sister in 1903. Her last words were these: "Remember me kindly to all, and say to them: 'I was happy in my life and I die peacefully.'"

THE CHAPERON IN THE WEST.

All unmarried females of means and position are chaperoned here. Age doesn't matter. There are spinsters—that's enough. No tender maid of thirteen goes unattended in California. No single woman of any age goes to the theatre alone with a man, and as for "buggy riding," the custom is unknown. No girl goes to a restaurant for lunch with a youth she has known from the cradle. It would not be correct, either, for her to get another girl. No; she must have the chaperon—the tried and seasoned veteran of matrimony—or else the proprieties will be split up the back.

The ardor with which the cult of the chaperon has been taken up in the West should make the thoughtful pause. At the rate we're going at we'll soon be where they are in France, and it will be hopelessly compromising for any of us to walk two blocks on the public street with a man of our acquaintance. Geraldine Bonner in San Francisco Argonaut.

A QUEEN OF EMBROIDERY.

Mrs. Hoessel, whose remarkable embroideries are being shown at the London Society of Artists, although brought up in Germany and wedded with a German, is an Englishwoman by birth, clever and industrious, and of gracious manner and personality. In Berlin she has already exhibited with great success. The Crown Prince, in whose love affair the world is now so much interested, has bought some of Mrs. Hoessel's cushions and clothes. The embroideries include fanciful subjects, such as "A Midsummer Night's Dream," pictures representing the seasons, and phases of sea, sky, sun and moon.

WOMEN'S REVERSIBLE GLOVES.

A new idea in women's fabric gloves just placed on the market has one side made of taffeta, while the other is of Suede finish, each having silk embroidery. The clasps are finished on both sides. These two pairs are practically provided at nominal expense.

In addition to dual service, milady is supplied with a ready choice, at the same time being furnished an opportunity obviating the necessity of reversing her handwear after "polling" it off. Again, an extra advantage is available in that elimination of pulling the glove fingers into position after wearing proves harmless.—New York Globe.

FASHION HINTS.

Have a velvet gown for high occasions.

It takes almost a whole dress pattern to fashion a pair of the new sleeves.

Many of the resurrected styles are copied from masculine rather than feminine dress.

Double-width crepe de chine is a boon to the tailor and dressmaker.

The sectional skirt is the simplest and easiest solution of present problems.

FITS permanent cure. No fits or nervousness after first day's use of Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer, \$2.00 per bottle and trial free. Dr. R. H. KLINE, Ltd., 391 Arch St., Phila., Pa.

Three hats for Liverpool coachmen cost \$8.88 each.

F. P. GREEN'S SOX, of Atlanta, Ga., are the only successful dropsey specialists in the world. See their liberal offer in advertisement in another column of this paper.

Last year Japan imported foodstuffs exceeding over \$22,000,000.

Jansure-Piso's Cure for Consumption saved my life three years ago.—Mrs. THOMAS ROBINSON, Maple St., Norwich, N.Y., Feb. 17, 1903

Steam navigation on the Yukon River is practically closed.

Itch cured in 30 minutes by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion; never fails. Sold by Drug-gists. Mail orders promptly filled by Dr. E. Detchen, Crawfordville, Ind. \$1.

Laborers in India receive four cents for sixteen hours' work.

Cataract cured at home. Three preparations in one package. Ask your dealer for "Dr. Hartley's Great Remedy," of Baltimore, Md.

Mistake of Word, Not Spirit. That Mme. Schumann-Heink is not always able to express herself in English as she can in song is illustrated by the following little story that is circulated at her expense: It seems that among her friends she has the reputation for remarkable tact and adaptability. Not long ago, in conversation with an intensely patriotic American, the talk quite naturally turned upon the subject of the American flag.

"Oh," said the singer, turning her rapturous gaze full upon her companion, "I do love your flag. Why, in my home in Germany we do kiss it on our house every Fourth of July;" and it was not until later that she learned from an obliging friend that the word "hiss" was not the same as "hoist" in America.

The Tailor's Waterloo. "No, sir," said the tailor, breathing hard. "No new suit till you pay for the one you have got on."

"Very well," said he coldly. "We shall sleep in this one, pull up one suspender higher than the other, wrinkle our shoulders, and then beg all our friends to go to you, and show them what a fine fit you gave us." We had him there.

Bostonian Diversion. On a trip to Boston, a native of Iowa was entertained by a Boston mother, and during the visit he was asked one day:

"Won't you please amuse the baby about five minutes?"

"I'm afraid I don't know how," replied the Iowa.

"Oh, just talk a little," said the cheerful Boston woman; "she always finds your Western grammatical peculiarities so amusing."

A Suicidal Record.

The chief medical examiner of the Royal Arcanum reports that 103 members committed suicide during 1903. Among the supposed causes were: Domestic trouble, sixteen; financial difficulties, twenty-six; ill health, thirty-one; loss of employment, ten.

\$100 Reward. \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address: P. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Tagging Fishes. The United States Fish Commission has contracted the small boys' habit of tagging fishes. Metal tags are fastened to marine fishes, which are let loose in the ocean with the idea of identifying them in case they are caught at any future time.

Dispensing Justice. This story is related of an old-time Judge in Sullivan county, Pa.:

During a session of court there was so much talking and laughter going on that the judge, becoming angry and confused, shouted in great wrath: "Silence, here! We have decided half a dozen cases this morning, and I have not heard a word of one of them!"

THE KEYSTONE STATE

Latest News of Pennsylvania Told in Short Order.

To aid Architect J. M. Huston in his plans to extend Capitol Park by acquiring the built-up district in the rear of the Capitol, the Board of Trade has appointed the following committee: Mayor Vance McCormick, Congressman M. E. Olmstead, J. Horace McFarland, Senate Librarian Herman P. Miller and George A. Gorgas.

County Detective Jeffries promises the arrest of the murderer of little Mike Miorki, who was killed near Phoenixville, some weeks ago. He said: "You can depend upon it that a man will be arrested within the next few days for that crime, and it will not be a member of the gypsy tribe. We now have good case, and have a large amount of circumstantial evidence pointing to a certain individual. The gypsies have removed from the neighborhood of Williams' Corner, but they will be here when needed in connection with the case."

A jury in court at Media found a verdict against Frank H. Fleer for \$427.50. The plaintiffs were Ernest Lewis, 10 years of age, and his father, Oliver Lewis. Young Lewis alleged that on August 13, of last year, Mr. Fleer shot him with a rifle while he and another boy were picking apples under a tree at the home of Mr. Fleer, in Yeadon. Mr. Fleer denied that he had shot the boy on the day in question and testified that on that day he was visiting relatives in Sea Isle City. He admitted on cross-examination that before that occasion he had shot at boys who went on his place for fruit. The jury gave the boy \$400 and the father \$27.50.

The Phoenix Silk Company, which operates a "throwing" mill in Pottsville has announced a 10 per cent. general advance in wages. This increase affects over 400 employees.

An indignation meeting of the citizens of Glenside was held in St. Paul's Lutheran Church, that place, the meeting being due to W. T. B. Roberts' notice to the citizens of Glenside that he will no longer provide street illumination and that the citizens must maintain the lamps themselves hereafter. At the meeting an Improvement Association was formed, which will take steps to secure a borough charter for Glenside.

To prevent attempts at jail breaking the County Commissioners have placed are lights around the Lebanon prison.

By an explosion of stove polish Mrs. John Hernon, of Tamaqua, was badly burned, the flames destroying most of her hair.

The Keystone Furnace, at Island Park, near Easton, has been put in blast after being idle several months. Nearly 200 men are employed.

he slaughter house of Simon Czer-nick at Shenandoah, which is leased to Martin Lapinskas, a Mahanoy City butcher, was blown up by an explosion supposed to have been caused by dynamite.

John Orie, aged 35, of Clarence, Center County, stepped from a train at Tamaqua on his way to Lansford, and he had barely reached the waiting room of the station when he died from heart failure.

Joseph Savitz was arrested charged with having slashed suits, dresses, overcoats, bedding, carpets, pictures and everything that he could cut in his brother's house, at Wilkes-Barre, because he was not allowed to marry the brother's daughter.

In the case of Mrs. Sarah C. Cromley against the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, for the recovery of damages for the loss of her husband and son, who were killed by a train on January 9, 1902, in Watertown, the jury gave the plaintiff a verdict of \$7428.

A Young, of Allentown, was arrested on a charge of obtaining money under false pretense at Stettinville, Lehigh County, P. J. Stephens, of Guthrieville, who invested \$100 in the stock of a cigar factory, which Young intended to operate, preferred the charge.

Casper Sinekle, aged 62, a farmer of Danboro, committed suicide by hanging himself. He was in his usual health and spirits at the breakfast table, but went immediately from that meal to the barn and took his life. Sinekle had experienced some financial reverses and this fact is supposed to have caused him to commit suicide.

Improvements on the Methodist Church, in Washington Borough, have been discontinued and in all probability the church will be moved to another part of the town, as the new freight line of the Pennsylvania Railroad passes alongside the church.

John W. Hunter, of Philadelphia, aged about 16 years, died at the Chester Hospital. While hunting for rabbits, near Gradyville, he was accidentally shot in the knee by a companion. He was considerably weakened by loss of blood before he received attention at the hospital.

Michael Bongiorno, a Pottsville merchant, who has returned from Italy, brought with him his own wife and the wives of eighteen other thirty Italians. In addition he brought four young women, who will be the brides of Italians in Pottsville, and also twenty-three children, the latter belonging to the eighteen wives. The entire party were tagged and labeled in a novel manner. Bongiorno brought the company to Pottsville without an accident.

The court has re-appointed William P. Sharpless, William Scattergood and George Kerr, all of West Chester, as inspectors of the Chester County Prison.

Mrs. Emily H. Gow, of Seattle, Washington, sister of Rebecca Harding Davis, the well-known author, and aunt of Richard Harding Davis, died at Catalina Island, California.

Vice President-elect Fairbanks visited the St. Louis Exposition.

COMMERCIAL REVIEW.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says:

All measures of trade indicated the customary loss due to holiday interruption, but subsequently much of the deficit was regained, numerous evidences of increasing confidence being seen in the disposition to place orders for distant shipment. Increased consumption of pig iron is also significant, and in other leading branches of manufacture there is a steadily diminishing percentage of idle machinery. Woolen mills are busy, despite the fact that it is between seasons and the raw wool market is very strong.

Developments in the leading manufacturing industry are about equal to the most sanguine expectations. Demand is broadening in a wholesome manner, large contracts calling for a heavy tonnage of plates, wire, pipe and sheets. Orders for structural shapes were heavier than at any previous time this year, and sales of bars were made at \$2 above the list prices.

Footwear manufacturers report a satisfactory volume of supplementary orders from Eastern jobbers for delivery early next year.

Failures this week numbered 213 in the United States, against 283 last year, and 17 in Canada, compared with 27 a year ago.

Bradstreet's says: Wheat, including flour exports for the week aggregated 1,454,276 bushels against 1,482,202 last week, 3,659,822 this week last year, 4,440,160 in 1902 and 4,983,734 in 1901. Corn exports for the week aggregated 148,051 bushels, against 346,927 bushels last week, 1,688,282 a year ago, 281,901 in 1902 and 629,924 in 1901.

WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Baltimore.—Flour—Steady and unchanged. Receipts, 9,325 barrels; exports, 10,171 barrels.

Wheat—Firm. Spot contract 1.14 3/4@1.15; November, 1.14 3/4@1.15; December, 1.16 1/4@1.16 1/2; May, 1.19 1/2; steamer No. 2 red, 1.07 1/4@1.07 1/2; receipts, 6,691 bushels; Southern, by sample, 98@1.15; Southern, on grade 1.04@1.15.

Corn—Firm. Spot new, 55@55 1/2; year, 54@54 1/2; January, 52 1/2@52 1/2; February, 52@52 1/2; March, 52@52 1/2; receipts, 3,225 bushels; new Southern white corn, 48 1/2@54 1/2; new Southern yellow corn, 48 1/2@54 1/2.

Oats—Firm. No. 2 white, 34@34 1/2; No. 2 mixed, 33 1/4@34 1/2.

Rye—Dull. No. 2 Western, uptown 90 asked.

Butter—Firm and unchanged. Fancy imitation, 18@19; fancy creamery, 27; fancy ladle, 16@17; store packed, 13@15.

Eggs—Firm, at 27. Cheese—Steady and unchanged. Large 11 1/4@11 3/4; medium, 11 1/4@11 1/2; small, 11 1/4@11 1/2.

New York.—Flour—Receipts, 28,286 barrels; exports, 7,928 barrels; sales, 6,800 packages; market firm, with moderate trade; Minnesota patent, 6.10@6.40.

Butter—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 2,829.

Cheese—Firm; receipts, 1,808; State full cream, small colored and white choice, October, 10 1/4; do., large colored, choice, October, 10 1/2; do., large white, choice, October, 10 1/2.

Eggs—Strong; receipts, 4,662; State Pennsylvania, and near by, fancy selected, white, extra, 34@35; Southern, 19@20; refrigerators, 19@21.

Potatoes—Firm; Long Island, 1.75@2.00; State and Western, 1.30@1.70; Jersey sweets, 1.50@2.25.

Peanuts—Dull; fancy hand picked, 56@57; other domestic, 36@37.

Cabbages—Firm; per barrel, 50@75. Hops—Steady; State, common to choice, 1904, 31@40; Pacific Coast, 1904, 30@37.

Lard—Steady; Western steamed; 7.50; November closed 1.50, nominal; refined quiet; continent, 7.70; South American, 8.25.

Cottonseed Oil—Easy; prime crude, nominal; do. yellow, 26 1/2@27.

Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 3 15-16; centrifugal, 96 test, 4 7-16; molasses sugar, 3 11-16; refined firm.

Live Stock.

New York.—Bees—Medium and good bees, 10@15c. lower; common, dull but steady. Native steers, 3.75@5.75; choice, 6.50; Westerns and heavy breeds, 3.20@4.50; bulls, 2.60@3.00; cows, 1.50@2.25; extra fat cows, 3.85. Cables quoted live cattle quite demoralized at 8 1/4@11 1/2c. per pound dressed weight; sheep, steady.

Calves—Veals, steady; grassers, slow to lower. Veals, 4.25@8.25; grassers, 1.75@2.25; Westerns, nominal; dressed calves, slow to lower; city dressed veals, 7 to 12 1/2; country dressed, 7@12 1/2.

Sheep and Lambs—A Steep, steady; slow to shade lower. Sheep, 3.00@4.50; lambs, 4.50@6.00; one cat extra 6.15; choice Canada lamb, 5.90; culls 1.50@4.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,358. Good State hogs, 5.50. Market firm.

Chicago.—Cattle—Market, steady. Good to prime steers, 6.00@7.00; cows 1.25@4.60; heifers, 1.75@5.50; canners 1.25@2.40; bulls, 2.00@4.75; calves 3.50@7.00; Western steers, 3.00@5.15.

Hogs—Market, 5@10c. lower. Mix ed and butchers, 4.85@5.15; good to choice heavy, 5.00@5.15; rough heavy 4.70@4.85; light, 4.85@5.05; bulk of sales, 4.00@5.00.

Sheep—Sheep, lower; lambs, steady to 10c lower. Good to choice weaned ers, 4.35@4.75; fair to choice mixed, 3.50@4.25; native lambs, 4.25@6.25.

WORLD OF LABOR.

Brushmakers at Boston have taken steps to establish a union.

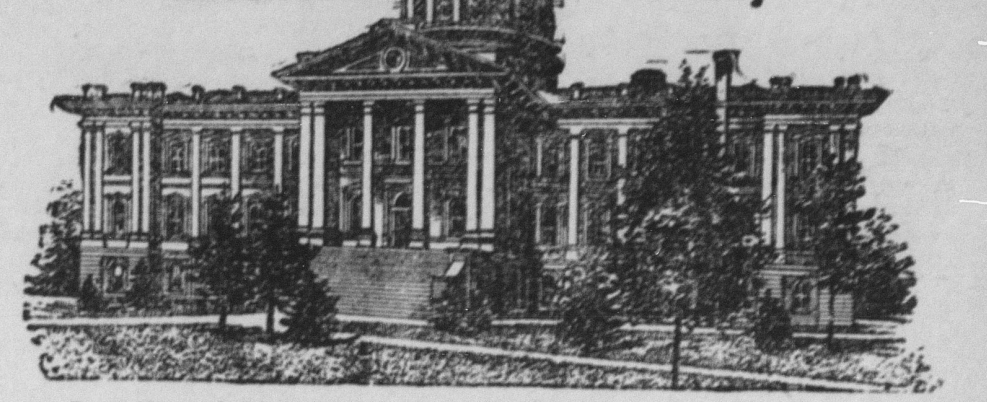
Worcester (Mass.) newboys have been organized into a strong union.

There are 12,500 boys and 4,059 girls in the industrial schools of Great Britain at present.

The pauperism of England and Wales costs the whole population \$2.38 a head yearly.

An effort will be made immediately to organize every branch in all the shippards in Quincy, Mass.

GOVERNOR OF OREGON Uses Pe-ru-na For Colds and Excellent



The Magnificent State Capitol Building at Salem, Oregon.

PRaise FROM THE EX-GOVERNOR OF OREGON.

PERUNA is known from the Atlantic to the Pacific. Letters of congratulation and commendation testifying to the merits of Peruna as a catarrh remedy are pouring in from every State of the Union.

Dr. Hartman is receiving hundreds of such letters daily. All classes write these letters, from the highest to the lowest.

The outdoor laborer, the indoor artisan, the clerk, the editor, the statesman, the preacher—all agree that Peruna is the catarrh remedy of the age.

The stage and rostrum, recognizing catarrh as their greatest enemy, are especially enthusiastic in their praise and testimony.

Any man who wishes perfect health must be entirely free from catarrh. Catarrh is well-nigh universal; almost omnipresent.

Peruna is the only absolute safeguard known. A cold is the beginning of catarrh. To prevent colds, to cure colds, is to cheat catarrh of its victims.

Peruna not only cures catarrh, but prevents it. Every household should be supplied with this great remedy for coughs, colds and so forth.

The ex-Governor of Oregon is an ardent admirer of Peruna. He keeps it continually in the house.

A Sure Thing.

A crowd standing around one of the bookmakers at Overland park, Denver, one day during the races was given an opportunity to have a little joke on that self-important person, who was interrupted in his talk to the men by a well-dressed man who forced his way to him and said something excitedly.

The bookmaker beat on the railing before him and called for attention. "Gentlemen," he shouted, "I have been asked to say that a pocketbook containing \$500 has been lost or stolen from a gentleman here who says he will give a reward of \$50 for it."

"Seventy-five dollars!" yelled some wag on the outskirts of the crowd.

"Ninety dollars!" came from someone else instantly.

"One hundred dollars!" "One hundred and twenty-five dollars!" "One hundred and fifty dollars!"

In a moment the enthusiastic bids for the lost purse caused its owner to retreat to the grand stand and the bookmaker to say things which were drowned in the laughter of his audience.

A Hint.

She (archly)—Violets are only twenty-five cents to-day.

He—I know it dear, and if I could get a bunch of money as cheap as I could get a bunch of violets I'd buy you a whole wagon load of flowers.—Detroit Free Press.

SLOAN'S LINIMENT
50¢
AND
\$1.00 CURES
HOG CHOLERA
SEND FOR CIRCULAR WITH DIRECTIONS
DEARL & SLOAN 815 ALBANY ST. BOSTON MASS.

W. L. DOUGLAS
\$3.50 SHOES
W. L. Douglas makes and sells more men's \$3.50 shoes than any other manufacturer in the world.

The reason W. L. Douglas \$3.50 shoes are the greatest sellers in the world is because of their excellent style, every fitting and superior wearing qualities. If I could show you the difference between the shoes made in my factory and those of other makers and the high-grade leathers used, you would understand why W. L. Douglas \$3.50 shoes cost more to make, why they hold their shape, fit better, wear longer, and are of greater intrinsic value than any other \$3.50 shoe on the market to-day, and why the sales for the year ending July 1, 1904, were \$8,000,000.00.

W. L. Douglas guarantees their value by stamping his name and price on the bottom. Look for it—take no substitute. Sold by shoe dealers everywhere.

SUPERIOR IN FIT, COMFORT AND WEAR.

"I have worn W. L. Douglas \$3.50 shoes for years and never with absolute satisfaction. I find them superior in fit, comfort and wear to other costing from \$3.00 to \$7.00."—J. S. McVick, Dept. Col. U. S. A. Int. Revenue, Richmond, Va.

W. L. Douglas uses Corona Collar in his \$3.50 shoes. Corona Collar is conceded to be the finest Patent Leather made. Fast Color Eylets used exclusively.

W. L. DOUGLAS, Brockton, Massachusetts.

Cabco Reto
BEST FOR THE BOWELS
CANDY CATHARTIC
THEY WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP

GUARANTEED CURE for all bowel troubles, appendicitis, biliousness, bad breath, bad blood, wind on the stomach, bloated bowels, foul mouth, headache, indigestion, pimples, constipation, liver trouble, sallow skin and distress. When your bowels don't move regularly you are sick. Constipation kills more people than all other diseases together. It starts chronic ailments and long years of suffering. No matter what ails you, start taking CABCO RETO today, for you will never get well and stay well until you get your bowels moving. Take our advice, start with Cabco Reto today under absolute guarantee to cure. "Money refunded." The genuine tablet stamped C.C.C. Never sold in bulk. Sample and booklet free. Address: Sterling Remedy Company, Chicago or New York.



Women who work, whether in the house, store, office or factory, very rarely have the ability to stand the strain. The case of Miss Frankie Orser, of Boston, Mass., is interesting to all women, and adds further proof that woman's great friend in need is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I suffered misery for several years. My back ached and I had bearing down pains, and frequent headaches. I would often wake from a restful sleep in such pain and misery that it would be hours before I could close my eyes again. I dreaded the long nights and weary days. I could do no work. I consulted different physicians hoping to get relief, but finding that their medicines did not cure me, I tried Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, as it was highly recommended to me. I am glad that I did so, for I soon found that it was the medicine for my case. Very soon I was rid of every ache and pain and restored to perfect health. I feel splendid, have a fine appetite, and have gained in weight a lot."—Miss FRANKIE ORSER, 14 Warrenton St., Boston, Mass.

Surely you cannot wish to remain weak, sick and discouraged, and exhausted with each day's work. Some derangement of the feminine organs is responsible for this exhaustion, following any kind of work or effort. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will help you just as it has thousands of other women.

The case of Mrs. Lennox, which follows, proves this.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Last winter I broke down suddenly and had to seek the advice of a doctor. I felt sore all over, with a pounding in my head, and a dizziness which I had never experienced before. I had a miserable appetite, nothing tasted good, and gradually my health broke down completely. The doctor said I had female weakness, but, although I took his medicine faithfully, I found no relief.

"After two months I decided to try what a change would do for me, and as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was strongly recommended to me I decided to try it. Within three days I felt better, my appetite returned, and I could sleep. In another week I was able to sit up part of the day, and in ten days more I was well. My strength had returned, I gained fourteen pounds, and felt better and stronger than I had for years. I gratefully acknowledge its merits. Very sincerely yours, Mrs. BERT E. LENNOX, 120 East 4th St., Dixon, Ill."

\$5000 FORFEIT if we cannot forthwith produce the original letters and signatures of above testimonials, which will prove their absolute genuineness. Lydia E. Pinkham Med. Co., Lynn, Mass.

THE CENTRE REPORTER.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1904.

CHURCH APPOINTMENTS.

Evangelical—Tusseyville, morning; Egg Hill, afternoon; Centre Hall, evening.
Lutheran—Centre Hall, morning; Union, afternoon; Georges Valley, evening.
Reformed—Tusseyville, morning; Centre Hall, afternoon.
Presbyterian—Centre Hall, morning and evening.
[Appointments not given here have not been reported to this office.]

SALE REGISTER.

Wm. Scholl, March 15, Centre Hall.
Saturday, December 17, 2 p. m., at Colyer, three tracts of land—Mary A. Colyer, Calvin S. Boller.

Horses for Brooklyn.

A car load of heavy draft horses were shipped to the Brooklyn market Friday morning. The animals were purchased by Wm. E. Opping, assisted by D. J. Meyer. The average price paid was \$141.35.

Refused to Grant Road.

Messrs. Isaac Smith, Gates Kennelly and Hall A. Herring, the latter a civil engineer, appointed to view a new road at Earlstown, refused to grant the prayers of the petitioners. The view was held Monday of last week.

Could Not Escape Law's Clutches.

Thomas Miller, late postmaster at Hawk Run, Clearfield county, has been arrested in Kansas. Miller was a fugitive, having been indicted at the May term of the United States district court at Pittsburgh for embezzlement of \$354.81 money order funds. He abandoned his office on December 29th, 1903, and was enabled to keep his whereabouts a secret for some time. When arrested he was employed as a coal miner.

Florida Personally Conducted Tour.

Tuesday, February 14, 1905, special train with Pullman sleeping cars and through dining car will run from New York to Jacksonville via Seaboard Air Line Railway under the auspices of the Pennsylvania Railroad, whose representative will have charge of the train.

Low rate excursion ticket including Pullman berths and meals en route. If interested, write for full information. J. J. Puller, district passenger agent, 1411 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Says Doctor Stole Wife's Love.

A suit for \$7000 damages was entered in the Prothonotary's office, in York, by Wm. H. Runkle against Dr. Z. C. Myers, a well-known physician, in which the plaintiff charges the defendant with alienating the affections of his wife.

At the same time a suit for libel for damages to the extent of \$7000 was brought by Ada Lauer against Ada V. Runkle.

No statements were made, but the summonses are returnable the first Monday in December.

Abuse of the Mail System.

The shameless abuse of the mails is a matter that deserves attention of the postoffice officials. For months the mails have been loaded down with matter sent out under congressional rank but which was in no wise entitled to the privilege. Tons of this matter have been carried over the country free of charge to the committees, but at immense cost to the general government. It is a heavy expense to the postoffice department, because it provides absolutely no revenue, and is an unfair advantage, because it makes the general public bear the expense of circulating campaign literature. During the mail weighing seasons, when a basis for payment for transporting the mails is being secured, tons of similar matter are hauled. It is a fraud that should be stopped, along with a number of others that are apparent in the postal department.

LOCALS.

The grain fields are in good condition, considering the very scant rain fall since seeding.

Mrs. W. B. Mingle, Saturday, came home from Philadelphia where for two or more weeks she visited her daughter and brothers.

Catharine, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Murphy, of Bellefonte, was badly bitten in the face by a dog with which she was playing.

Congressman Dresser has recommended the appointment of A. L. Bolger as postmaster at Phillipsburg. The present incumbent is John Gowland.

Mrs. Wm. Scholl was a caller the other day to say that on March 15 Mr. Scholl will sell his farm stock and implements. He lives on the Harper farm, east of Centre Hall.

The spirit of Christmas invades the editorial sanctum long before December comes, and the Christmas magazines celebrate the holiday season with a specially liberal literary and artistic menu. Among the Christmas magazines The Booklovers will take a foremost place. It contains a varied and attractive array of literary contributions, and an unusual quantity of brilliant and artistic illustrations, many of them in color and tint.

THEY WILL GIVE THANKS

Or Should—The Reason Why They Will Do So

There will be many thanks given over the turkey today (Thursday.)

Half the people will give thanks because the other half don't know all about them.

The average successful Republican candidate will give thanks for election over Roosevelt's shoulder.

Every citizen of this great government ought to give thanks that the States are at peace with the world.

The Reporter will give thanks because its subscription list has increased fifty-five per cent during the past four years.

Assemblyman-elect John Noll will give thanks because his sixty-six majority will count just as much for him as will Roosevelt's million and a half.

Hon. J. W. Kepler, although defeated at the recent election, will give thanks because of the consciousness of having served the people of Centre county with the greatest fidelity.

Judge Love should give thanks because he will be able to amass a fortune at the bar that could not be acquired on the bench. He will also thank the people for aiding him in making this wise decision.

R. P. Baldwin may be thankful that there is such a similarity between wild turkeys and the kind of turkeys raised by Mrs. Frank Meyer, west of town, that the average sportsman can't detect the difference—after they are in a game bag.

Thanks will go up alike from the people of Centre county and their newly elected President Judge Ellis L. Orvis because the judiciary of Centre county has been elevated, and that it was accomplished by the voters laying aside party prejudice.

Pennsylvania State College can well afford to give thanks that she has a president with diplomatic capacity so that the institution's needs are brought in their best light before the most liberal minded millionaires and the vetoing power of the Commonwealth.

Presiding Elder Bell Honored.

At a meeting of the bishops of the Methodist Episcopal church in Boston, Mass., Nov. 11th, Rev. J. Ellis Bell, presiding elder of the Altoona district, was appointed on the board of the Epworth League to represent the Fourth General Conference district, composed of Baltimore, Central Pennsylvania, Norway, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Wilmington conferences. This appointment stands for four years. The board meets annually.

Interesting to Odd Fellows.

Grand Secretary Joseph H. Mackey has issued official notice of a contemplated tour of Grand Master Robert Graham, of Philadelphia, accompanied by other Grand Lodge officials, admitting past grands to membership, giving instructions in the unwritten law of the brotherhood, and thus seeking to kindle a deeper and broader interest in the work of the fraternity among the rank and file of the order.

The Grandmaster will be in Bellefonte Tuesday evening, 29, and will hold a meeting at that time.

Thanksgiving Supper.

The members of Progress Grange will hold their usual Thanksgiving supper, in Grange Arcadia, from 4:30 to 10 o'clock. The residents of Centre Hall and surrounding country ought to, and no doubt will, show a due appreciation of this order by most liberally patronizing them in their effort to liquidate the debt on Grange Arcadia. The hall is a credit to Centre Hall; there is not its equal in the county, outside of Bellefonte and Phillipsburg, and every one who possibly can owes the Grange their support on this occasion.

Prospering in Kansas.

Lanson J. Burris, of near Centre Hall, accompanied by his brother-in-law, Ambrose Vonada, of Sylvan Grove, Kansas, were callers Monday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Vonada and two children came east last month to visit among relatives and friends. Mr. Vonada went west from Haines township in 1880, and has met with remarkable financial success. When he left lower Penns Valley he was obliged to borrow money to pay railroad fare. He began farming near Sylvan Grove, and today owns, free of debt, three hundred and sixty acres of splendid farm land, the improvements alone on which cost him \$3000. His crops are wheat, corn, alfalfa. The crop of wheat this year was light, yielding only about twenty bushels, making the return of 1600 bushels; corn, 4000 bushels, with a surplus from last year of 3200 bushels. The farm maintains eighty-six head of cattle and twelve head of horses. Alfalfa is an important crop in Mr. Vonada's section, and is cut three times each season. All kinds of stock as well as hogs, consume the alfalfa ravenously and with the best results in gain of flesh. Mr. Vonada thinks Kansas is the country for farming, and could not be induced to return even to the most fertile hills of Pennsylvania. He was accompanied east by his brother, Daniel Vonada, who also farms near Sylvan Grove. They will return west next week.

A STUPENDOUS PRODUCTION.

"The Shepherd King," Chestnut Street Opera House, Philadelphia, November 28.

One of the most remarkable dramatic productions of the age will be presented at the Chestnut Street Opera House, Philadelphia, beginning Monday 28th inst., in "The Shepherd King," the profoundly impressive and sumptuously produced Biblical play based on the story of the life of David from shepherd boy to King of Israel. Wright Lorimer who has risen quickly to genuine fame as an actor of the first quality by his graceful, forceful and highly artistic portrayal of the character of David, and as a skilled and liberal producer in the magnificence of the scenic and costume equipment for this great play, making it the largest dramatic production known to the stage of this country. Mr. Lorimer first presented "The Shepherd King" at the Knickerbocker Theatre, New York, last spring, receiving high commendations from critics, pulpit and public. "The Shepherd King" is one of those rare plays that appeal strongly to the church-going element by its high moral influence and Biblical reference, and by its intensely dramatic story, its fine climaxes, its ornate and gorgeous scenes, pageants and tableaux, its beautiful dances and its general magnificence is also a powerful attraction for the habitue of the theatre. It draws everybody to the playhouse. It is praised by ministers of all denominations and has been made the theme of pulpit discourses by some of the most eminent divines. This from the church's aspect. Theatrically too, it is one of the most genuine and convincing successes the stage has known in years. In its power to bring all classes, sects and creeds to the theatre it excels much the same influence as "Ben Hur." There are twenty-five characters and over two hundred people in this wonderful drama.

The engagement at the Chestnut Street Opera House will be for a 14-weeks only.

The December Smart Set.

The feature of the December smart set is undoubtedly the novel "Clavering and His Daughter," a story of Washington life, by a new author, Foxcroft Davis, whose meteoric entrance into the field of fiction is likely to be the sensation of the season.

Dan Patch Lowers the Record.

On the occasion of the Oklahoma City, Okla., Thursday of last week, Dan Patch lowered the world's record for pacing on a half-mile track, the official time being 2:03.34. The previous record, held by Dan Patch himself, was made at Birmingham, Ala., last year, being 2:03.3.

Farmer Blown to Pieces by Dynamite.

While drying several sticks of dynamite at an open fire in order to blow out stumps, Adam Keil, a farmer's helper near White Deer, was blown to pieces by an explosion of one of the sticks. John Zettlemoyer, the owner of the farm, who was some distance away, was severely hurt by being struck in the face by flying stones.

Linden Hall.

Calvin Stem is visiting friends in Milton this week.

Miss Grace Carper left for Bellefonte where she will spend the winter.

F. E. Wieland made a business trip to Lock Haven and Williamsport last week.

Mrs. Coble and grand-daughter, Miss Clara Stambach, are visiting friends in Stone Valley.

Miss Ella, the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ross, spent last week as the guest of S. E. Goss, in Bellefonte.

Mrs. D. C. Hess left Friday for an extended visit with her grand-daughter, Mrs. George M. Hall, in Elkins, West Virginia.

George Baker, of Downs, Kansas, is greeting old neighbors and friends, and visiting his sisters, Mrs. Wieland and Mary, at Lemont.

Mrs. Rose Diehl, of Ohio, spent Sunday with John Diehl and family, leaving Monday for a short visit with her brother, Daniel Corman, at Rebersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Lowdar left for a visit among friends and relatives in Pittsburgh, after which they will visit St. Louis, and other cities of interest in the west.

The west-bound train Thursday afternoon was filled with prominent men from Harrisburg, on their way to State College to participate in the dedication of the Carnegie Library.

Mrs. John Bowersox, of Milroy, accompanied by her cousin, Mr. Beck, from Montana, who is here for a visit among eastern friends, drove over the Seven Mountains on Friday for a visit with Mrs. Mary Selbert and J. T. McCormick, at State College.

Last week a party consisting of Mrs. Margaret Henry, Mrs. Parker and Mr. and Mrs. William Taylor, all of Reedsville, passed through the valley on their way to Martha Furnace, where they were guests of Mrs. Jennie Henry, at the Thompson home. On their return they stopped over night with Mr. and Mrs. Frank McFarlane.

LOCALS.

Eggs are unusually high in price for November.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Arney and baby Arney, of Bellefonte, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Arney over Sunday.

Mrs. Harper, mother of Mrs. George Emerick, with whom she makes her home, is recovering from a recent severe illness.

Union Thanksgiving services will be held in the Reformed church, Boalsburg, in the morning. Sermon by J. I. Stonecypher.

Harry Taylor, of Baltimore, and Miss Elizabeth Taylor, of Bellefonte, drove to Centre Hall Sunday and were entertained by the Misses Brungart.

Commissioner P. H. Meyer and wife, of Bellefonte, were in town Saturday. Report has it that he is deciphering some real estate in Centre Hall.

William Scholl, next spring, will move from the Harper farm to the home recently occupied by John Rossman, on the Rossman farm, below Penns Cave.

REGISTER'S NOTICE.

The following accounts have been examined, passed and filed of record in the Register's office, for the inspection of heirs and legatees, creditors and all others in anywise interested, and will be presented to the Orphans' Court of Centre county for confirmation Wednesday, the 30th day of November, A. D. 1904:

1. The account of Mary J. Goodhart, administratrix of William Goodhart, late of Gregg township, deceased.
2. The account of Margaret L. Moll, guardian of Margaret E. Jones, minor child of O. Perry Jones, late of Phillipsburg borough, deceased.
3. First and final account of John M. Dale, trustee of estate of Jane F. Mann, dec'd, as filed by Florence F. Dale, executrix of John M. Dale, deceased.
4. The first and final account of D. L. Zerby, administrator d. b. n. e. t. a. of the estate of Michael Fiedler, of Miles township, deceased.
5. The account of William H. Fiedler, administrator of estate of Sarah Fiedler, late of Bellefonte borough, deceased.
6. The first and final account of W. H. Moser, administrator of estate of Mary A. Horner, late of the township of Spring, county of Centre and state of Pennsylvania, dec'd.
7. The first and final account of William Shawley, trustee of estate of D. B. Mulholland, under will of John Mulholland, late of Burnside township, deceased.
8. The fourth and partial account of S. Peck, executor of the last will and testament of Henry Brown, late of Walker township, Centre county, deceased.
9. The first and final account of Lydia Zeigler, administratrix of estate of Henry Zeigler, late of Gregg township, deceased.
10. This "partial account of William Treidler, executor of estate of Thomas Meyer, late of Benner township, deceased.
11. The first and final account of Grant Dunkleberger, late of Spring township, deceased.
12. The first and final account of Doris G. Spotts, trustee in partition to sell the real estate of William White, late of Burnside township, deceased.
13. The first and final account of R. W. Mensch, administratrix of estate of A. A. Jackson, late of Haines township, deceased.
14. The first account of James S. Weaver and Elmer E. Weaver, executors of Aaron D. Weaver, late of Haines township, deceased.
15. The first and final account of James A. Smith, administrator of estate of Fannie Smith, late of Liberty township, deceased.
16. The first account of J. C. Stevens, executor of estate of Henry Stevens, late of Half Moon township, deceased.
17. The first and final account of D. F. Fiedler, administrator of estate of Mary Fiedler, late of Miles township, deceased.
18. First and final account of D. L. Meek, administrator of estate of Kate Murray, late of Patton township, deceased.

A. G. ARCHIE, Register, Bellefonte, Pa.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE—LETTERS TESTAMENTARY on the estate of Nancy Yeager, late of Potter township, deceased, having been duly granted to the undersigned he would respectfully request any persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the estate to present them duly authenticated for settlement. W. B. MINGLE, Executor, Nov. 18, 1904. Centre Hall, Pa.

THE SHARPLESS TUBULAR CREAM SEPARATOR is a short cut, saving half the duty of a separator machine. There is no dredging in washing the simple three piece Dairy Tubular Separator bowl. Avoid trouble. The separator will fail of itself. It is a two part separator—take the one that will accommodate your herd. Considering the durability of the machine, the price is the lowest of any separator on the market. For further particulars write or apply in person to H. D. BOSCHMAN, Spring Mills, Pa.

FARM FOR SALE OR RENT.—The undersigned offers for sale or rent, his farm located one mile east of Potter Mills, containing about one hundred acres, seventy of which are under cultivation. The buildings are in good condition and conveniently arranged. There is a good fruit on the farm and running water at both home and barn. This is a good opportunity to secure a farm at less than its real value. A. J. P. in person or write to M. J. DECKER, Centre Hall, Pa.

FARM FOR SALE.—The undersigned offers at private sale the farm one and one-half miles east of Centre Hall, on Branch Valley road, known as the Heckman farm, containing about one hundred and twenty-seven acres, seventeen acres being good timber.

GOOD BUILDINGS AND WATER.—A new farm house was built on this place last summer. The barn is large and in good repair. There is running water at both home and barn. The farm is well located and is a desirable and pleasant place to live. This farm will be sold very cheap, as the owner has no desire to be bothered with the trouble of looking after the property. For further particulars write or apply in person to M. B. FIERING, Spring Mills, Pa.

FARM FOR SALE.—The undersigned offers at private sale a 65 acre grain and grass farm, situated in the heart of Potter township, Centre county, Pa. Good and convenient buildings; plenty of water, furnished by a never-failing spring and a well; first class land in good condition, well fenced, and a little timber; good orchard with plenty of fruit of all kinds, a few young orchards just started. An excellent dairy farm; healthy and desirable location. For further particulars apply to R. D. FOREMAN, Centre Hall, Pa.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.—The executors of the estate of William Colyer, deceased, will sell at public sale, at Colyer, Pa., SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17, 2 P. M.

All those three certain messuages and tracts of land, situate in the township of Potter, county of Centre and state of Penna., being a portion of the real estate of the late William Colyer, deceased.

NO. 1, 21 ACRES. Bounded on the north by lands of William Bohl, on the east by what is known as Bohl's Gap, on the south by what is known as the Fisher lands, on the west by land of J. Y. Glasgow, containing about twenty-one acres more or less.

NO. 2, 27 ACRES. Bounded on the north by lands of Andrew Jordan, William Jordan and John R. Lee, on the east by land of J. Y. Glasgow, on the south by land, lately sold to Wm. Whitmer and Sons Co., and on the west by lands of James Runkle, containing fifty-seven acres, more or less.

NO. 3, 38 ACRES. Bounded on the north by lands of Howard Lingle and others, on the east by lands of James Runkle, on the south by lands lately sold to Wm. Whitmer and Sons Co., and on the west by land of A. J. Reichley and Co., containing thirty-six acres more or less.

TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per cent. of purchase money to be paid on day of sale, one-half less said ten per cent. on the execution and delivery of a deed or deeds for said premises, and the other one-half in four months from day of sale. Deferred payments to be secured by judgment notes.

MAY A. COLYER, C. S. BUTTONE, Executors of estate of Wm. Colyer, dec'd.

Important Announcement.

SUITS AND OVERCOATS

For Men and Young Men

We take great pleasure in announcing to the men and young men of Bellefonte and vicinity that we are EXCLUSIVE SELLERS IN THIS COUNTY of the famous custom-made, ready-to-wear Suits and Overcoats that bear the name of

B. Kuppenheimer & Co.

Of Chicago, America's Leading Clothes Makers.

The name of Kuppenheimer stands pre-eminent throughout America as the guarantee of absolutely the best ready-to-wear clothing that can be produced. B. Kuppenheimer & Co. have but one purpose—to provide well dressed men with ready-to-wear clothing that will stand the closest comparison with the highest priced garments—the most exclusive workmanship—of the best merchant tailors in the world. Kuppenheimer woollens are chosen by an expert; their journeyman tailoring force is conducted by a master mind, while their fashions and designers each season send out these styles, which are at once accepted in the masculine world as correct—as authoritative. No garment leaves their workshop that is not exquisitely finished in every detail, bearing the unmistakable marks of skillful handwork. Notwithstanding the superiority of this famous clothing, we offer the various lines of Suits and Overcoats at our usual modest prices.

PRICES FROM \$12 TO \$30 FOR

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From October 1 to December 1.

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Cook Stoves, Ranges and Oak Heaters

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to select from, ranging in price from the cheapest to the best, and at prices lower than you can get elsewhere.

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THE BEST SHOES

Thinking of Buying Shoes?

Here's Information for You. Yeager & Davis . . .

Have the most complete family Shoe Store in Centre county where every member of the family can find Variety, style, Fit, Finish, Comfort, Price and General Satisfaction. We do not claim all and the only good shoe made, but we do have the very best to be had in the different grades and our prices are the lowest.

To prove the above we ask you to examine the list of the goods we have, or, better still, come in person and look over the shoes in stock. It will satisfy you that our claims are based on solid facts and that this is the place to buy footwear. We do business on the live and let live plan. Treat all alike, and have but one price.

Our Leading Lines Always In Stock . . .

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DOROTHY DODD SHOES
YEAGER & DAVIS SPECIAL

We have the well known Freed Brothers Working Shoes.

We have a full line of Tan Shoes, high and low cuts. We can give you men's all leather shoes for dress or work for \$1.00. We can give you women's all leather shoes, high or low cut, for \$1.00. Why shuffle about in shoes too large or limp in a pair too small. When Yeager & Davis have sizes to fit you all. Style, Finish, Durability and Prices guaranteed to give satisfaction.

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QUEER, isn't it that Furniture is selling so cheap at REARICK BROTHERS? The idea is right here—we want to keep our goods moving.

3 Large Orders For ROCKERS

are on the road, and will be here soon. These Rockers range in price from \$1.35 to \$9.00. A nice lot of Chairs has never been put on exhibition in town.

.. A Nice Lot of Parlor Stands ..

A nice lot of quartered oak, polished, Parlor Stands will be on the floor soon for the Christmas season. Nice Tabourettes are here now at 65 cents.

NEW LOT OF WALL PAPER FOR NEXT SEASON

Twelve large sample books to select from. We defy a nicer line of paper to be shown in the Valley and doubt if there are many in the country. Give us your orders now and save money because we save the freight which is your gain.

CHURNS GIVEN AWAY.—We have a few Holstein churns on hand. We do not intend carrying churns, and will give away a churn with a nice order of Furniture. We will exchange Furniture on Feed. Farmers take advantage of this.

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CENTRE HALL.